

TWO OF FLYERS LOST AT SEA

WILSON MAY
OPEN LEAGUE
FIGHT IN NOTE

Message to Congress Expected
to Start President's Side
of Controversy.

Probable Recommendations by
the Executive Outlined
At Washington.

WASHINGTON — President
Wilson, in his message to the
forthcoming congress, is expect-
ed to urge legislation along pro-
gressive lines, which will square
with new conditions resulting
from the war.

The message, 4,500 words
long, was received textually by
cable at the White House Satur-
day. It will be delivered to con-
gress as soon as the house and
senate have completed their or-
ganization — probably Tuesday
noon.

Its unexpected length left no doubt
that the president will exhaustively
detail his views on domestic prob-
lems. That he may use the message
as a vehicle for opening his side of
the league of nations controversy is
expected by his friends.

RETURN OF WIRES
While the White House was abso-
lutely silent on the message, those
familiar with the president's views
today outlined its probable recom-
mendations as:

1—Legislation for the return of
the telegraph and telephone lines,
with proper financial remuneration
to the owners.

2—Legislation providing for re-
turn of the railroads, not under old
conditions, but under a new system
which will effect a more unified ad-
ministration, greater public regula-
tion and less wasteful competition.

3—Disposal of the American mer-
chant marine in such manner as to
encourage private initiative, but with
a hand of the government retained
to guide its present and future
development.

4—Adoption of universal woman's
suffrage.

5—Favorable action on the unrat-
ified "treaty of friendship and ad-
justment" with Colombia.

6—Development of public lands
and natural resources to care for the
growing residuum of unemployed labor.
The Lane "land for soldiers" bill is
strongly endorsed by the president.

7—Continuation of the United
States employment service and the
labor board—or creation of simi-
lar institutions.

8—Prompt action on appropri-
ate bills with recommendation of es-
tablishment of a budget system for
ending government money needs.

9—Adoption of army and navy
programs which will be submitted to
congress soon by Secretaries Baker
and Daniels.

10—Legislation to provide for the
enforcement of prohibition.

CONFERENCE WORK
That the president will outline
briefly his peace conference work,
promising a complete detailed report
when he returns with the treaty, is
held certain. And in view of the fact
that the peace conference has held
out to labor through the world, a
promise of better things, the presi-
dent is expected to emphasize that
there must be no reaction in legis-
lating for the United States now but
on the contrary, readjustments must
be made with the view to accomplish-
ing the greatest good for labor. Owing
to the fact that the president is
addressing a Republican congress
his friends here believe there might
be "some surprises" in the message,
in addition to the points outlined.

BEER WINS POINT
Court Refuses to Dismiss Test
Case Brought By
the Brewers.

NEW YORK—New York brewers
made a gain in their fight for beer
with a 2.75 per cent alcohol Saturday
when Federal Judge Hand refused
to dismiss a test case brought by a
brewing company to restrain the fed-
eral attorney from enforcing the war-
time prohibition act of November 21,
1918, against the manufacture of
beer.

The United States attorney sought
to have the suit thrown out on nine
grounds. Judge Hand stated, in giv-
ing his decision in favor of the brew-
ers, that he was not passing on the
legality of 2.75 per cent beer, but the
right of the brewers to sue.

It is believed in some quarters
that injunctive relief against the
law's enforcement may be obtained
under the decision.

WILL FIGHT TO LAST
DITCH, DECLARES FOE

German Delegates Insist That
They Will Not Sign Peace
Terms.

The German delegates insist they
will not sign the peace treaty un-
less oral discussions are allowed and
the terms ameliorated. Whether
they are bluffing or mean what they
say, will be determined shortly.
The United Press does not pretend
to know the proportions of truth
and propaganda, but it has been in-
formed from authoritative sources
that the following is the present
attitude of Count Brockdorff-Rant-
zau and his colleagues:

The Germans cannot accept the
present terms, as it would result in
the fall of the government within
ten days.

The Saar basin, west Prussia and
commercial isolation are three
points the Germans will fight on to
the last ditch.

OBJECT TO ANSWERS

Brockdorff-Rantzau is not satis-
fied with the allied answer to his
notes and claims that in return for
honest efforts to arrive at an under-
standing, he has received only eva-
sive and meaningless replies.

"The German delegates declare the
"big four" evaded a direct answer
to their note relative to interna-
tional labor legislation. They regard
Premier Clemenceau's reply as be-
sides the issue, on the following
points:

First, the Germans proposed that
international labor legislation be
prepared by a commission composed
entirely of labor representatives.
The "big four" proposes that labor
be represented on the same body
with governments and capitalists.

Second, the Germans proposed an
international labor congress every
five years. The "big four" answer
claims the annual conference of the
league of nations is better, but the
Germans contend the latter plan
gives labor an insufficient voice,
with the result that labor has no
bona fide conference whatever.

PROTEST TERMS TODAY

BERLIN — (Friday) — Berlin
will make another effort Sunday to
influence the allies to modify their
peace terms.

Great mass meetings have been
called to assemble at the reichstag
and in other parts of the city to
protest against signing the treaty.
The last big demonstration of this
kind resulted unexpectedly in the
crowds urging acceptance of the
terms. More than 100,000 persons
attended two scores of radical pro-
test meetings Wednesday.

After an excited discussion dur-
ing which agitators harangued at
length, the demonstrators voted al-
most unanimously in favor of sign-
ing the treaty, and making peace at
once.

The Freisheit, a radical organ, de-
clared that if the present govern-
ment is unable, or unwilling to sign
the pact, it must be replaced by a
government that will.

Anti-allied demonstrations, such
as occurred before the Hotel Adlon
(American headquarters) are de-
plored by the radical element. Sev-
eral newspapers expressed disap-
proval of the incident.

STRIKE SPREADS

All Lines of Business in Winnipeg
Tied Up By Walk-
out.

WINNIPEG, Man.—The general
strike reached its zenith Saturday.
Practically every line of business
was tied up when additional work-
ers walked out in sympathy with the
building trades and metal workers
who have been out since Thursday.

With the exception of private
wires Winnipeg was cut off from out-
side communication when commer-
cial telegraphers joined the strikers
Saturday.

Mounted strikers arrived in the city
Saturday. Strikers refused to con-
sider the authorities' suggestion
that they lend recruits for police
work.

Unionists established bread
lines and milk depots to prevent the
needy from suffering. A few cafes
were open with union waiters to
feed unionists. Others were ordered
by the strikers committee to remain
closed.

Communication was at a standstill.
Street car workers were among the
first to enter the sympathetic strike.

GOINGERS NOT TO RETIRE

NEW YORK.—Samuel Gompers
Saturday night denied reports that
he was going to retire as president
of the American Federation of Labor
at the annual convention at Atlantic
City next month. He declared he
had not the slightest intention of ac-
cepting any other job, such as presi-
dent emeritus.

BOLSHEVIK ENVOY
IS REPORTED SHOT

Adolph Joffe

Adolph Joffe, who has represented
the Russian Bolsheviks in their deal-
ing with the German Reds, is report-
ed shot. Dispatches state that he
was seized and shot by the Poles
when they captured Vilna. He was
the first chairman of the Russian
peace delegation at Brest-Litovsk. He
was sent later to Berlin, but the Ger-
mans expelled him. This was while
Wilhelm was still kaiser. He is
credited with playing an important
part in stirring up the revolution in
Germany.

LIMA OIL KING
SUFFERS STROKE
ON BOARD TRAIN

J. R. Sinclair, Nearing Seventy
Years of Age, in Serious
Condition.

Pioneer of the Petroleum Game
and Former Owner of Ma-
chine Shops.

J. R. Sinclair, veteran and wealthy
oil operator of the Lima-Indiana
fields, and former head of the once
well known Sinclair & Morrison bot-
tling shops, Eureka street, lies at his
West North street home in a serious
condition following a stroke of apople-
xy on board train enroute home
from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

The attack occurred at 7 o'clock
Saturday morning in the form of an
hemorrhage of the brain and faint
hope was held out for recovery late
last night, as his age is around 70
years.

Mr. Sinclair reached the city over
the Western Ohio at 8:15 o'clock
Saturday night after he was removed
from a Big Four train at Sidney and
an ambulance rushed him to his home.

Members of the party say Sinclair
was suddenly stricken shortly be-
fore reaching the state line of Illi-
nois. Recognition of his state was
taken when he complained he had
dropped his cravat pin. When his
companions started to recover it,
Sinclair reeled against a car seat and
could not steady himself.

Telegraph communication to Lima
aided in making connections with
a Western Ohio interurban car which
was leaving Sidney about the time
to connect for Lima.

In examination which followed his
arrival home Dr. Mumma found
that a coagulation of blood at the
base of the brain seriously injures
the chance of the patient for recovery.

One week ago Mr. Sinclair left
the city on a trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma
in company with Emmitt R. Curtis,
Sr., Emmitt Curtis, Jr., Clan M. To-
lan and L. G. Neely, widely known
men of the oil and gas industry of
the country.

None of the oil men of his day
are more popular than J. R. Sin-
clair. Since the death of his wife
he has retained the old home at 540
West North street, presided over by
his daughter, Mrs. Fred C. Beam,
wife of the former city auditor. Sin-
clair also has a son engaged, well
known street paving contractor, who
has been advised of the serious con-
dition of his father.

Sinclair is a director and heavy
stockholder in the Lima Trust com-
pany, owner of the famous Sinclair
stock farm in Shawnee township and
heavily interested in oil properties
in Kentucky, Illinois, Oklahoma and
Kansas. He was one of the build-
ers and guarantors of Lima club,
where he spent much of his time in
later years, always having been ex-
pert billiardist as well as great out-
door sportsman. Until his death
over a year ago Schanney F. Lufkin
and Sinclair had a regular hour for
billiards together each day.

ITALY GIVES
UP FIGHT FOR
FIUME PORT

Also Relinquishes Claims on Oth-
er Territory, Paris Report
Says.

Concessions Expected to Clear
Up Situation in Peace
Conference.

PARIS—The Italian situation ap-
peared nearer solution Saturday
night than at any time since the
question of disposition of Fiume
first came up.

From an authoritative source it
was learned that the Italians had
consented to Fiume being a free
city and had further relinquished
their claims to portions of the Aus-
trian and Dalmatian mainlands.
These reported concessions followed
innumerable conferences between
Italian and allied representatives
in which Premier Orlando and Col-
onel House were the principal fig-
ures.

While complete agreement has
not been reached—Italy holding out
for certain islands in the Adriatic,
her possession of which is deemed
irreconcilable, with international in-
terests—the opinion prevailed that
a final solution will be reached very
shortly.

BITTER AT SHUMAKER

A matter entirely aside from the
Adriatic question, but illustrating
the trend of Italian feeling has de-
veloped in connection with the per-
sonnel of the Austrian peace dele-
gation. Altho they had no official
protest, the Italians are indignant
at the presence on that body of Herr
Shumaker, representing the Tyrol.
The Italians declare that under the
old regime he was their bitterest
enemy.

During the period of Italy's neu-
trality the Italians say, Shumaker,
as judge of the civil court in Tren-
tino, condemned over 1,000 Italians
who had taken refuge in Italy to
avoid taking up arms against their
mother country, ordering confiscation
of all their property and impos-
ing heavy fines and imprisonment.
Following Italy's entrance into
the war, Shumaker became
judge of the military tribunal and
is alleged to have inflicted severe
sentences on hundreds of other Ital-
ians in addition to imposing two
death sentences.

While the Italians have accepted
the allies' viewpoint regarding op-
position to a union of Austria and
Germany, they point out that this is
against their interests.

KOLCHAK MAY BE
RECOGNIZED AS
RULER IN RUSSIA

Omsk Government Now Believed
Looked Upon With Favor
By Allies.

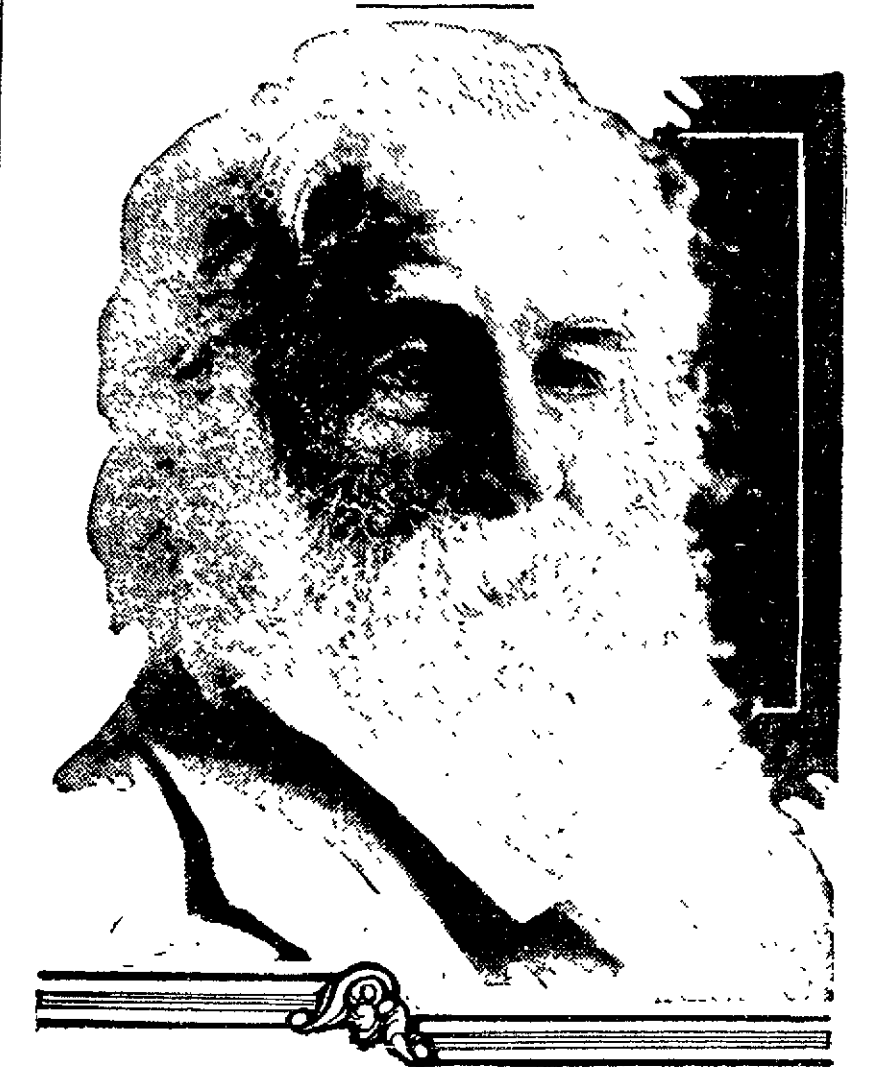
PARIS—Admiral Kolchak, whose
forces are advancing from Siberia
against the Bolsheviks is rapidly as-
suming a favored position in the
eyes of the allied governments, it
was learned Saturday night. In
British circles he is now being refer-
red to as the "Beatty of Russia."

A French general has been with
Kolchak's army for some time, it now
develops, and the opinion is expressed
in French quarters that if any of
the present Russia factions are re-
cognized, it will be that headed by
Kolchak, the so-called Omsk govern-
ment. His armies are about a third
of the way from Omsk to Moscow.
Americans are non-committal regard-
ing the French suggestion that the
United States probably will see its
way clear to recognize Kolchak if
the other allied governments do.

In the meantime the Finns have
given assurance that they can take
Petrograd any time they desire. The
difficulty appears to be, however,
that in that event, they would have
to feed the population and they lack
the facilities for that. Therefore, it
is pointed out that the Finns prob-
ably will not attempt to seize Petro-
grad without British assistance and
assurance of food.

WILL EMPLOY MANY

CINCINNATI—Work for several
hundred men will be provided here
July 1, when the city starts construc-
tion of a rapid traction loop. The
improvement will cost more than
\$1,000,000. The first work will be
draining of the bed of the Miami and
Eric Canal.

CENTENARY OF POET WALT WHITMAN
WILL BE CELEBRATED ON MAY 31

Walt Whitman.

The coming centenary of the birth of Walt Whitman will be marked
by many commemorative celebrations in all parts of the country. On the
birthday itself, May 31, a pilgrimage will be made to West Hills, L. I.,
where the poet was born. A program has been arranged for the day at
West Hills. Dr. Richard Burton of the University of Minnesota will make
the principal address.

TAKE STEPS TO NIP
TURK MASSACRES

Allies to Control Asia Minor Be-
fore Presenting Peace Terms
to Ottomans.

PARIS—The allies, nearing com-
pletion of the Austrian peace treaty,
took up consideration of some of the
Turkish terms.

The rights and interests of minor-
ity nationalities were discussed by
the big four, particularly with re-
gard to the religious situation in
Asia Minor. A delegation from India
presented objections to any radical
reduction of Turkish dominion from
the standpoint of Mohammedism.

The inter-allied occupation of
Smyrna on Wednesday is now seen
as the initial step in general assump-
tion of control over Asia Minor prior
to presentation of the Turkish treaty
Missionaries and allied agents have
warned that publication of the terms
will be a signal for wholesale mas-
sacre of the Christian populations in
Turkey, unless proper safeguards
are supplied at once.

Every indication Saturday night
pointed toward submission of the
Austrian terms on Thursday, the
date tentatively selected some time
ago. It is believed the exchange of
credentials between the allied and
Austrian delegation will take place
Monday and that the articles of the
treaty will be assembled at the same
time for discussion at a secret plen-
ary session Tuesday or Wednesday.

The status of the Italian situation
will have no bearing on the Austrian
treaty. Austria will merely be re-
quired to relinquish her claims to
Fiume and Dalmatia, and formal
disposition of these territories will
remain in the hands of the peace
conference.

According to the best obtainable
information the Austrians will be
subjected to the same regulations
governing the German delegates with
the possible exception that they will
be granted a week instead of 15
days in which to complete discussion
of the terms. Chancellor Renner is
expected to address the allied rep-
resentatives at St. Germain as did
Foreign Minister Brockdorff-Rant-
zau at Versailles.

With answers to four of the Ger-
mans' seven communications on the
peace terms still pending, they were
expected to present a new note on the
financial phase of the treaty Monday,
following Brockdorff-Rantzau's re-
turn from Spa. He and ten other
members of the German delega-
tion went to the city Saturday. From
the fact that those who accompanied
him were mostly financial experts, it
was assumed he intended conferring
with the economic commission.

The full text of the German
treaty will not be published, until
after its acceptance, according to a
decision reported to have been
reached by the "big four" Satur-
day.

Edward Dunne, Frank Walso and
Michael Ryan, formally requested
Secretary Lansing Saturday after-
noon to ask the British government
in behalf of Irish societies in Amer-
ica to grant safe conduct to Paris
for Edward De Valera, Count
Plunkett and Arthur Griffiths, in
order that they may present Ireland's
case to the "big four." The Irish-
Americans declared their recent tour
of Ireland had been productive of
the "most important results."

CREW OF ONE
IS PICKED UP
BY STEAMER

Men of NC-1 Rescued After Drift-
ing Many Hours—Plane
Still Adrift.

NC-3 and Persons Abroad Are
Missing — Both Ships Go
Astray in Fog.

WASHINGTON — Comman-
der Bellinger and the crew of
the N.C.-1 which was forced
down by a heavy fog off the
Azores Saturday morning, have
been picked up by the steamer
Iona, the navy department was
officially advised Saturday.

The location of the rescue is
given as slightly southeast of the
island of Flores. The message,
filed at Horta, at 8:30 Washing-
ton time, read as follows:

"U. S. S. Harding reports
crew of N.C.-1 safe on board
steamship Iona. Plane was be-
ing towed but tow line parted.
Latitude 30 degrees 40 minutes,
longitude 30 degrees 24 min-
utes."

The message arrived at the
navy department at 10:55 p. m.

N.C.-3 NOT HEARD FROM
PONTA DELGADA, Azores—(8:10
p. m.)—At this hour no word had
been received from the seaplane
N.C.-3 since 9 a. m. when she was
200 miles southwest of Fayal.

The N.C.-3 carrying Commander
Towers, leader of the expedition, has
not been heard from since early Sat-
urday morning. Safely in harbor at
Horta, the N.C.-4, which arrived
there at 9:25 a. m., is being made
ready for the next hop on the sky
voyage to Europe.

Frequent reports were received
from three big Nancys during the
first hours of their flight from New-
foundland. In the early morning
hours radio reports came from all of
them. The N.C.-4 sighted the island
of Flores, westernmost island of the
Azores, at 7:35 o'clock Saturday
morning (New York time). She
passed over the island and kept on
for Horta, where, on account of the
rapidly gathering mist, she descend-
ed. Just before passing Flores, the
N.C.-1 had been close behind her,
but the N.C.-3 had been lagging. At
11 o'clock, S. O. S. calls came out
of the mist between the destroyers
Antip and Waters, station 20 and
21, the nearest to Horta. They were
from the N. C.-1 and reported that
she was lost in the fog. A little later
she announced that she was descend-
ing to the surface, to await rescue.
SEARCH IS BEGUN

Four destroyers, ordered out im-
mediately, dashed away into the
thick weather in a systematic search
for the big flying boat, tossing on
the Atlantic somewhere in the gray
mist. Nothing has been heard from
the N.C.-3 since she swept over the
region patrolled by the destroyer
Stockton, station number 17, early in
the day. At that time she was also
off her course.

Word of the plight of the sister
ships came to the men of the N.C.-4
shortly after they received congratula-
tions on their feat in shattering
the world's record for overseas flying,
negotiating the 1,200 miles from
Trepassy to Horta in 15 hours and
18 minutes. Read, commander of
the Nancy-4, brought her to safety
at Horta without a mishap.

HOPES BRIGHTENED
While the search for the missing
airship was on, the weather improv-
ed noticeably, brightening the hope
of a quick location and rescue of the
N.C.-1.

Reports from the "bridge of
boats," destroyers over which the
planes flew, indicated that the N.C.-3
was lagging for some time before she
lost her way, one destroyer reporting
that she passed "racing" evidently
going at full speed in an effort to
catch up with the other planes.

The place where the N.C.-1 was
last reported is within 150 miles of
Horta, which is being made the base
for the destroyer search.

Meanwhile as navy officials wait-
ed patiently for word of the missing
craft, Ponta Delgada continued in a
fever of expectancy.

The town was crowded and fre-
quent bulletins were being issued for
the information of those who kept
vigil, both ashore and on the many
ships in the harbor.

NAVY OFFICERS ANXIOUS
WASHINGTON—The N.C.-4 safely
landed at Horta, on the Azores,
the navy Saturday night was waiting
eagerly some word from the N.C.-3

and N.C.-3 of Commander Towers' trans-ocean flying fleet.

The former was reported forced to the surface by the heavy fog enveloping the Azores, but destroyers were sent to her rescue immediately and no fear is felt for her safety. She sent out S. O. S. calls before landing which was in compliance with orders given by Commander Towers before the start, navy officials here said. The N.C.-1's action, they declared, was probably taken to prevent any possible damage to the plane in the fog.

At the time the N.C.-1 was forced down, she was passing station 20 at 8:10 Saturday morning, according to a navy radio from the U. S. S. Columbia, filed at 3:30 Saturday afternoon (Washington time). The seaplane at the time, was apparently headed for Corvo. The message said she was off her course somewhere between Stations 20 and 21 and was lost in the fog.

The last heard from the N.C.-3, she was off her course between Stations 17 and 18 and it is assumed she, too, became lost in the fog.

WASHINGTON THRILLED
Nothing since the war has so thrilled the capital of the nation like the dramatic race of America's sea flyers Saturday. From early morning until late at night, the telephones in the office of the United Press and the navy department, buzzed with the query:

"What's the latest from the flyers?"
The two most anxious watchers were Mrs. J. H. Towers, wife of Commander Towers, "admiral" of the seaplane fleet, and Mrs. Elmer P. Stone, wife of Lieutenant Stone, pilot of the N.C.-4. To the latter on her vigil, came the good news that her husband's plane had reached the Azores. "I knew he would get there," she exclaimed when told of the successful arrival of the N.C.-4 by the United Press.

310TH WINS CHAMPIONSHIP IN BATTLE EFFICIENCY

L. E. MANS, France—(Friday).—The second platoon of Company L, 310th Infantry, commanded by Lieutenant W. A. Hitchcock, of Waltham, Mass., Saturday won the championship in battle efficiency competition. In a thrilling combat problem, the man of the 75th (western New York, New Jersey and Delaware national army) division took everyone of their objectives in 33 minutes or little more than half the average time of the other contestants.

YES, IT WAS A QUIET NIGHT

Celebration on Next to Last Wet Saturday Night Not Hilarious.

The next to the last Saturday night before the long drought was unexpectedly quiet along Saloon Row and at the police station.

While the cafes and saloons were crowded all evening and up to the closing hour, the anticipated big time of celebration of the passing of booze failed to materialize, and the police were very little bothered with gathering in the saloons.

The amorous chanting of Bacchante's love-song will soon cease to be heard, the illusion of seeing six lights when only one exists will cease to be seen, and old John Barley will be buried amid a vale of tears and wailing, and the usual gnashing of teeth.

HERE'S NEW DUTY

Package Smaller Latest to Be Given Postmen.

There are some strange professions in the commerce of the world. Tea tasters, bomb makers, currency inspectors, finger-print experts, etc., but the latest is the best. It is that of parcel-post package smelter. Post office employees throughout the state are advised to be on the small for packages which may contain spirituous liquors after May 26th.

Shipping bottled goods by mail has not been a very profitable business, saw post office officials, many cases labeled "books" having been known to "bake" all over the premises, and they do not anticipate any wholesale shipments of liquor.

LODGE NOTICE

All members of the A. L. U. are requested to be present at a meeting to be held Wednesday evening, important business.

Allen Council, 317, Junior Order U. A. M., will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Old City hall, west High street.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF THE GOLDEN EAGLE

All members of Castle and Temple are urged to be out to our annual Memorial service which will be at the Olivet Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Rev. Otto Harter will speak. All Sir Knights will meet at the hall not later than 9:20 o'clock. The women will meet at the corner of Circular and West streets at 10 a. m. The line of march will be from the hall to the church lead by the Liberty Band. All Sir Knights who have been in service are requested to attend in full uniform.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their many kind services during the sickness and death of our son, Oliver, also for the lovely floral offerings; the undertaker and Rev. Franklin for his consoling words.

MR. AND MRS. HAMILTON.

CHILDREN'S CARE PROBLEM, AID IN SIGHT FROM OHIO

Feeble Minded Little Ones Are Big Charge to Communities of State.

Joseph Manthuan, 4, and Julia Manthuan, 5, his sister, inmates of the Children's Home, were adjudged feeble-minded Thursday by Probate Judge Becker, and application has been made for their entrance to the Ohio institution for feeble-minded in Columbus—News Item.

This paragraph tells briefly the story that is told in some eighty odd other communities of Ohio coming under the jurisdiction of county officials; but the public learns nothing more of the case, usually, because it begins and ends at the same place—the application.

The reason is, frankly, because there is no room in the one institution the state of Ohio boasts for the care of her feeble-minded for any more; and indeed the records show a long waiting list of something like 700 whose enforced custodians, managers of legitimate homes for normal children like the one in Shawnee township, are compelled to care for these little imbeciles and sub-normals as well to not only each normal child in the place, but are dangerous otherwise.

The two little ones in question have been at the home in Shawnee about two years. They are children of a couple said to live on South Union street who have three other children aged respectively, about 7, 9 and 11 in the home, two of these also sub-normal.

The boy Joseph, 4, is said to be vicious, a fighter and a constant disturber. The girl is an imbecile, unable to feed herself, and requires constant attention. Dr. Goddard of the State Bureau of Juvenile Research was to have visited the home and view these and some twelve or fourteen other sub-normal children there, at the time of his recent engagement here, but did not find the time.

UNFAIRNESS POINTED OUT

The point is made by the Welfare Association, the county officials and the custodians at the Children's Home, that these children, unloaded on the institution because they happen to be children, is unfair to the community, to the taxpayers, to the detectives themselves, and absolutely menacing to the future of the normal little ones for whom the places were built and are maintained.

This incident adds special interest to the agitation now on at Columbus legislative channels, for relief of these conditions—otherwise the securing of an appropriation with which to provide additional care for feeble-minded. It is likely the \$500,000.00 appropriation passed in both houses, known as the Federal bill, providing funds to build an additional home will be vetoed by the Governor; because State Auditor Donahay has asked it, offering a substitute arrangement, which may afford the necessary relief.

Ohio has but one institution for the feeble-minded; although several much smaller states, like New Jersey, for instance, have from three to five. (New Jersey has three).

The press representative of the Allen County Child Welfare Association has a letter from Auditor of State, A. V. Donahay, which states that the four members of the Ohio Board of Administration, Dr. E. J. Emerick, superintendent of the Columbus Institute for the Feeble-Minded the past fourteen years, and considered an authority in the United States. Superintendent Donahay and the several physicians employed at Orient, (where the state has a farm of 1700 acres with administration building and several cottages) all concur in the opinion that additional cottages should be erected here, and provisions made for the care of the state's big waiting list at Orient rather than to build another expensive institution which would involve increasing overhead expense and start political factions in different sections of the state lobbying for the location of a building in their localities.

ASKS FOR VETO

The Auditor also encloses a copy of his letter to Governor Cox asking him to veto the bill. This letter is a very sensible document; and there is scarcely a doubt that its recommendations will be accepted by those back of the movement for relief. Mr. Donahay recalls the opening of the feeble-minded institution in West Columbus (in 1857) and states that in 1900 the General Assembly established a Feeble-Minded farm about 12 miles southwest of the original plant, at Orient; with 1700 acres of finest land, connected by improved roads, the R. & O. and by trolley. He states that the building equipment (all fire-proof) is sufficient to care for 700 inmates (its present population); that it has one of the finest power houses in the state, sufficient in size to care for the needs of 2000 inmates; has a modern ice and cold storage plant with capacity for the same number; a complete laundry system sufficient to take care for the needs of 3000 inmates; has a fine modern cement dairy housing 180 cows, in full operation, and that the farm truck deliver large quantities of milk to the other state institutions.

"I personally visited this plant on Saturday last," says Mr. Donahay "and made a survey of the entire proposition; and I am willing to leave the question to any man, sane or insane, as to the policy of the state building a new institution with its attendant high prices, delay, and overhead charges."

MONEY ASKED INSUFFICIENT

Auditor Donahay notes in his communication to the Governor that the amount appropriated for the new institution (\$650,000.00) would only build the plant. The same amount placed in the hands of the Board of Administration would build fire-proof cottages at Orient sufficient to care for 1400 feeble-minded children within eighteen months.

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FEEL LIKE A BOY

It is easy. Get the catarrh out of your system. That is your trouble. Catarrh is sapping your vitality by the work of the catarrh. Your food is not digesting properly. It is passing through the digestion tract without the nourishment being extracted. What you eat is largely wasted. The blood, instead of taking up nourishment, is absorbing the catarrhal poisons back into the system.

PE-RU-NA

For Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions

Relieves stomach and bowel trouble, constipation, sour stomach, bloating, belching, rheumatism, pains in the back, sides and joints or other diseases due to catarrh of catarrhal condition. For breaking up colds and colds, there is nothing better. To ward off the grip and flu and prevent complications. Do not take of PE-RU-NA has been demonstrated. It is a powerful purgative. Good to have in the home. Bottle of PE-RU-NA is fourteen ounces of your favorite. Sold everywhere in tablet or liquid form.



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REMOVE MAIL BAR

Letters May Be Sent Into Occupied Germany.

Lima Has Example—Special Home for Treatment Is Needed.

Resumption of mail delivery to foreign countries is ordered in recent bulletins from the Postoffice Department from Washington according to Postmaster Sullivan in a statement today.

Mail may now be sent to civilians in the occupied territory of Germany, France and Belgium as stated in the latest reports. Bulgaria is also included in the recent removal of restrictions. Italy and Turkey are affected by the new order with the provision that mail matter of all classes despatched to Turkey be sent subject to conditions laid down by the British military authorities.

The mail to many other foreign ports is said to be delayed awaiting the signing of the peace treaty.

GOOD MORNING.

If you want to buy or sell real estate see L. C. Townsend & Co., Brokers in Real Estate, Merchants and Manufacturers Supplies, 424 Holland Bldg., Phone Main 6804.

RED CROSS NOTES

Red Cross workers are reminded that there will be a constant demand for garments for Lima's needy sick. As is generally understood, the visiting nurses are now under the direction of Home Nursing Department of Red Cross and thru the Red Cross will be supplied with bedding, night gowns, layettes, bath robes, etc. It is hoped that church organizations and clubs will assist in this work, which can be taken to the home, and while it is expected each garment will be well made, they will not be subjected to the rigid inspection given other Red Cross work.

Several clubs have already given some time to the local work, namely, Blue Bird Hill club, Young Ladies' Circle (Baptist), Matrons' Society (Market Street Presbyterian), Monday Knitting club. The Twentieth Century club has completed several baby baskets, for which purpose they utilized the baskets that were used in conveying supplies to and from the various workrooms during the past year and a half.

Allen County Chapter Red Cross will not be asked to do any more refuge work for some time to come, probably not before fall, according to information received from headquarters. Three thousand garments have been completed since January 1st, each trim and workmanlike, a credit to the making of them. The "bins" at headquarters are filled to overflowing and will be packed and shipped the coming week, under the direction of Mrs. L. E. Ludwig and Benjamin F. Thomas.

WOMEN'S KID JULIETS

with Rubber Goring, hand turned leather soles, excellent values at \$2. A broken lot to clean up in our "Down-Stairs-Store" only—

\$1.49

CRAWFORD'S BOOTERY

MODERN BUILDING ON ELIZABETH ST. WILL BE ERECTED

Theodore Michael Buys Property and Will Make Improvements at Once.

Many Deals of Importance Have Been Closed During Last Week.

Theodore Michael purchased Saturday afternoon a 40-foot frontage property on Spring street, near Elizabeth street, which included the colored church location, and contemplated immediately erecting a three-story brick building.

Two stores on the main floor and four large sized apartments on the upper floor are included in the architect's plans for the building, which is to be the most modern type of construction.

Michael and Fisher were the dealers who handled the deal. The consideration was stated to be \$12,000.

The last week has seen some important realty deals put thru the market, but none which will alter the condition of things more than the sale of the east half of the George Vicary property, at the northeast corner of Pierce and Market streets. It is the purpose of the Lima Natural Gas company, which made the buy, to erect an office building on the property. The effect on traffic towards the west on Market street, which will include from 7,000 to 8,000 persons a month, is expected to have considerable importance in the general move westward.

The Hale property, at the southwest corner of High and West street, has been optioned to O. D. Fisher, and will likely result in a sale. One thousand dollars has been guaranteed on the option, and it is reported that Fisher has disposed of the western half of this property, to C. O. Orr, president of the Lima Cut Stone company, who expects to shortly improve with a modern building. Several thousand dollars is stated to be the figure at which this property is rated.

The automobile trade has made another move westward on Market street with the purchase by the Cadillac company of the Max Bernstein property, 519 Market street. O. C. Plummer, president of the automobile concern, stated that while they still had until August, 1921, to reclaim at their present location next to the Elks' club, they expected to erect their own home some time this year. The Elks' club purchased recently the Mack building, where the Cadillac company is now located, which urged the automobile people to look for a new location sooner than they had expected to.

Residence properties are changing hands, as well as the business locations. Dr. A. C. Black purchased Saturday afternoon the Chapman residence on State street, between Jameson and Cole. The house, frame, is a new building having been built less than two years ago. The amount paid was said to be about \$6,000. L. W. Green handled the deal.

The old Harting home at 215 west Wayne street was purchased by F. C. Seely, state manager for the Holland Furnace company, purely for investment purposes. The deal was made thru Courtland Brothers. Charles Wolley has just purchased the home of F. C. Loranger, 808 north Jameson street, for \$5,500.

A deal of considerable magnitude was made late last week when E. P. Milbaugh purchased 40 lots in the northern addition to the city, from Judge Kent W. Hughes, for \$12,000. Several homes of high order are to be built on the lots. Spellacy Realty company, were instrumental in turning the deal.

WANTED—BOYS AND GIRLS TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAKING TRADE, PAID WHILE LEARNING. OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE GOOD WAGES. BOYS SHOULD BE 16 TO 18 YEARS OF AGE AS THEY ARE MORE APT TO LEARN THE TRADE QUICKLY AND BECOME EXPERTS THAN WHEN OLDER. AS IT IS ALL HAND WORK.

ALL MEN RETURNING FROM THE SERVICE ARE WELCOME BACK TO THEIR OLD POSITIONS. THE DEISEL-WEMMER CO.

MEN AND MATTERS

Clifford Morton, son of S. W. Morton, 110 east McKibben street, has arrived in New York from 18 months overseas duty with the 161st aero squadron. He is enroute to Camp Sherman and expects to be home in a week or two.

J. A. Current and H. B. Longworth of the Service Garage, drove the new Columbia Six thru from Detroit last Tuesday. The trip was made in record time and without a mishap. Mr. Longworth states that he was more than pleased with the performance of the car which was the five-passenger touring type.

Last Chance! Last Day!

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YOUR OWN PRICE

Ashwood Addition

NORTH WEST STREET AND ROBB AVENUE, CHOICE BUILDING LOTS

\$1,000 In Valuable Presents, Absolutely Free

SALE AT 2 P. M., MAY 18, 1919.

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Take North Main Street car to Robb Avenue and walk west two short blocks.

Here is your opportunity to make some real money. Home builders, speculators and investors, have you seen the new church, college and school?

Ladies specially invited.

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Redfern Corsets

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A Decided Success

Our corset department is conducted with the idea of making it a service department, and it is a decided success.

Our saleswomen were trained to fit carefully and correctly, and when making our selection from various lines, we select models only after a thorough study to discover those most satisfactory.



Results have proved that our plan was correct. Many customers because of the personal, almost intimate attention they receive patronize our corset department, and they invariably return.

We would appreciate the opportunity to extend our corset services to you.

High Grade Economy Corsets

Your figure is a distinguishing mark of refinement. If you can attain this distinction through wearing a good corset, its cost is cheap at any price—but if you will wear the model stamped "REDFERN" or WARNER'S RUST PROOF—The High-Grade Economy Corsets—you will have a figure of distinction and be comfortable through wearing corsets that are supreme in every particular.

Your corset is important to your appearance—it shapes your figure not only fashionably but in keeping with your height and general proportions, and if you can secure an attractive personality through your corset, it will be an investment well worth your while.

Warner's Redfern and Rust-Proof Corsets are the corsets of the hour. Their lines are graceful—true to style and they are the best corsets in the world.

Redfern Corsets \$5.00 to \$15
Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets \$1 to \$7.50

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GREAT COMMUNITY SING TONIGHT TO OPEN SALVATION ARMY CAMPAIGN

Churches of City Will Unite in Big Event at Memorial Hall at 7:30.

Citizens of Lima will have the opportunity at 7:30 o'clock this evening to attend one of the greatest church mass meetings in the history of this locality. Practically every church congregation in the city will assemble at Memorial Hall at that time to officially open the Salvation Army campaign in this county for \$60,000 to erect a new home for the local unit.

This meeting will be in the form of a community sing and it is expected that more voices will be heard than in any sing ever held here. There will be some speaking, but most of the time will be given over to the singing.

Fred Calvert, well known local choir leader, will be in charge of the song program. He has arranged a set of songs, popular on such occasions and easily sung, and has had them printed for the convenience of those in attendance.

The speaker of the evening will be Ensign Claude Pownell, who served nine months under fire on the European battlefields. He will tell a story of the heroic acts of the American soldiers. He was with the Lima contingent for some time and will have an especially interesting story to tell of the men from this city. He has brought along four trunks full of souvenirs he gathered up on the battlefields and will exhibit them. These souvenirs have attracted wide attention every place they have been shown and it is certain they will be of especial interest here.

All plans for the opening of the campaign in this county have been completed. This drive will be a part of the national campaign to raise \$13,000,000 for the home service fund of the Salvation Army to carry on its work for the year ending May 30, 1920. This organization made a wonderful record on the battlefields and is desirous of expending and to do this it must have money. The money raised in this campaign will be for this purpose.

County Chairman O. N. Young, is optimistic. The city organization has been completed and workers for all wards and precincts announced. Lehr Miller, who has charge of the territory outside of the city, has built up a strong force to canvass the rural districts and is confident of success.

The city workers as announced are:

- NAVY "SALTS"**
Rev. F. B. Stiles, Comdr.
Ward—1 "Devil Dogs" \$5,000.
Francis Dublin, A—Ed Gallagher, B—John Gagin, C—Fred Morris, D—Roy Hartsing, E—Not Named, F—Not Named.
- Ward 2—"Bluejackets," \$10,000.
Elmer Roberts, A—L. B. Hamilton, \$1200; B—Howard E. McDonald, \$1300; C—Jas. E. Martin, \$1850; D—Wm. H. Howell \$1500; E—Frank Schenk \$1500, F—Wilbur Wumaugh \$1300; G—Clyde W. Diers \$1250
- Ward 3—"Gobs" \$5000 Jas. J.

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for Girls and Women who want low heels—English style like cut, regular \$6 values in our "Down-Stairs-Store"—all sizes only—

\$4.89

CRAWFORD'S BOOTERY

Charter No. 2035
REPORT OF CONDITION OF
The First National Bank
At Lima in the State of Ohio, at the close of business on May 12th, 1919

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 916,160.46
Overdrafts	747.19
U. S. Bonds	
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation	\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Certificates of indebtedness	240,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds	
Liberty Loan Bonds 3 1/2, 4, and 4 1/2, unpledged	149,250.00
Bonds securities, etc	
Securities other than U. S. Bonds, owned, unpledged	53,774.10
Stocks other than Federal Reserve Bank Stock	31,124.94
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	4,300.00
Real Estate owned other than Banking House	1,143.37
Lawful Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	96,101.19
Cash in vault and net amount due from National Banks	458,752.02
Net amount due from banks, bankers and Trust Companies	8,602.13
Exchange or Clearing House	19,475.53
TOTAL	\$486,829.68
Checks on banks located outside of city or town as reporting bank	3,867.68
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	5,000.00
Interest earned but not collected (approximately) on notes and bills receivable not past due	12,132.82
War Savings Certificate and Thrift Stamps actually owned	836.00
TOTAL	\$2,102,209.06
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid in	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Profit	70,495.64
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	49,352.27
Interest and Discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)	898.84
Circulating Notes outstanding	97,100.00
Net amount due to National Banks	696.48
Net amount due to banks, bankers and trust companies	311,701.80
Certified Checks outstanding	1,441.98
TOTAL	\$ 313,840.26
Demand Deposits	
Individual Deposits subject to check	1,104,895.63
Certificates of Deposit due in less than 30 days	22,581.07
Dividends unpaid	45.00
TOTAL	\$ 1,127,521.70
Time Deposits	
Certificate of Deposit	177,073.28
Other Time Deposits	186,422.71
TOTAL	\$ 363,495.99
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State of Ohio, County of Allen, ss.
I, F. C. Cunningham, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subsc. had and sworn to before me this 17th day of May, 1919.

F. C. CUNNINGHAM, Cashier.

Attest:
W. J. RICHIE,
Notary Public.

George E. Bayly
Nelson Shook
O. B. Seifridge.

sons desiring to purchase doughnuts may send in their orders to this number.

The Rev. Kirk B. O'Ferrall, who has charge of the speakers for the drive, has announced a number of meetings for the coming week as follows:

Sunday, May 18th, 3:00 P. M.—Beaverdam T. R. Hamilton, Speaker.

Sunday May 18th 8:00 P. M. Westminster John L. Cable, speaker.

Tuesday May 20th, 8:00 P. M. Gomer L. E. Ludwig, Speaker.

Tuesday May 20th, 8:00 P. M. Marion Twp.—North and South; Meetings at Morris Chapel, Eugene Lippincott speaker.

Tuesday May 20th, 8:00 P. M. Bath Twp Meeting at Blue Lick School House, John L. Cable, speaker.

Tuesday May 20th, 8:00 P. M. Lafayette Rev. Kirk O'Ferrall, speaker.

Wednesday May 21st 8:00 P. M. Bluffton Eugene Lippincott and Elmer McClain, speakers.

Wednesday May 21 8:00 P. M. Lion Church, Amanda Twp., L. E. Ludwig, speaker.

Thursday May 22nd, 8:00 P. M. Harrod, Elmer McClain, speaker.

Thursday May 22nd 8:00 P. M. Spencerville, Walter Jackson, speaker.

ORDERS FOR CEMETERY BIDS SHOULD BE PLACED BY MAY 20TH IN ORDER TO INSURE PLANTING BY DECORATION DAY.

ROLF ZETLITZ CO., WOODLAWN AVE. PHONE MAIN 5038.

Pulverized Sheep Manure and Commercial Fertilizer at Dorsey's.

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Dignified Eyeglasses with Toric Lenses

A quiet dignity characterizes these Oxfords that is highly becoming to some personalities. We study each individual who comes to us for glasses and recommend only those that serve the best purpose. Looks as well as service are considered.

Our deeply curved Toric Lenses give you that wide range of vision and snappy appearance so desirable. Glasses of just the right size and shape, perfectly fitted, are the glasses you will be proud to wear.

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Lima's Big Store

Special Sale of Women's Exclusive

Capes, Coats and Dolmans

Myriads of dainty little elegancies in style are evident in the collections, little individualizing touches of decoration in the way of luxurious linings, designs in pockets, effects in sleeves, belts, coat fronts, collars and so on.

Materials Are of

Tricotine, Men's Wear Serge, Poiret Twills, Gabardine, Velours, Silvertones, Bolivias, Duvetyn, Satins, etc.

20% DISCOUNT

The Season's Lowest Prices on Women's Tailored Suits

Here's a chance for every woman to secure a real, high-class Summer Suit for less than she had any idea she could secure one for. The low sums we are pricing all our styles at make this saving possible. They display those little subtleties and elegancies of designing which women appreciate seeing in a suit, and we take great pleasure in submitting them for selection.

\$24⁷⁵ **\$29⁵⁰** **\$35** **\$39⁵⁰** **\$47⁵⁰**

And All High Grade Suits Formerly Sold From \$25 to \$125 20% OFF

COLLEGE WILL ENTERTAIN CLUB

Rotarians Will Go to Bluffton Monday Evening for Regular Meeting.

Members of the Lima Rotary club will be entertained by the Bluffton College Monday evening with a program and dinner. The members will meet at the Hotel Norval at 5 o'clock and will motor to Bluffton. Automobiles will be provided for all those attending. This is expected to be one of the most enjoyable meetings of the club this spring.

New officers of the local club will be installed at the first meeting in July. The committee named to nominate officers has reported with the following nominations:

President, Dr. J. H. Blattenberg; first vice president, George Bayly; second vice president, O. J. Smith; secretary and treasurer, L. S. Galvin; sergeant-at-arms, J. Allen Brady; trustees, H. O. Bentley, H. L. Solomon, H. S. Moulton, R. B. Dunn, M. L. Johnson.

The nominating committee was composed of Maurice Hoteller, M. M. Keitner, J. M. Boose, Glen C. Webb, Mack Altschul.

VEGETABLE PLANTS, CARBAGE, TOMATOES, MANGOES, CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, EGG-PLANT AND SWEET POTATOES. EXTRA FANCY PLANTS GROWN FROM BEST STRAIN OF SEED. ROLF ZETLITZ CO., WOODLAWN AVE. AND BELLEFONTAINE AVE.

Home Grown Seed Corn at Dorsey's.

WILLIAM STEGERWALD IS CALLED BY DEATH

William Stegerwald, who lived and conducted a tinshop at 618 south Central avenue, died Saturday night at 10 o'clock at St. Rita's hospital, following an operation in the morning.



for many years. He is survived by his wife and four brothers and five sisters.

Funeral arrangements have not been made as yet.

A \$3,500 BARGAIN
A double house on west side that pays 11 1/3%, see L. C. Townsend & Co., Brokers, 424 Holland Bldg., Phone 6804.

"The Lost Battalion"

When the American battalion, surrounded in the depths of the Argonne Forest, famished and with no prospects of relief, was called upon to surrender, its commander, Major Whittlesey, shouted back: "Go to h—!"

It was a fine example of the "never say die" spirit. It exemplified American determination. We apply this spirit of determination to the making of

Malt-Milk Bread

'At Your Grocer's

In our humble way, we are steadfast in our purpose to make a pure wholesome loaf of true-quality bread.

J. F. RENZ BAKERY

FRENCH POLICE UNFATH CLUES TO 'BLUEBEARD'

Officials Dig in Search of Murder Victims—Find Bloody Cord

PARIS — French police are carrying out extensive digging operations around the country villas of Landru, held as a suspect in the Parisian "Bluebeard" case, the strangest murder mystery case in recent French history.

They are following two new clues one of which concerns the unclothed body of the woman found strangled in Cantilly Forest last February.

The other is the case of an unidentified woman who had been strangled, and whose body was taken from a river in December, 1916.

In a garage owned by Landru police have found a blood-stained cord, forming a running noose, together with a blood-stained canvas sheet and a quantity of strong tarred twine.

"WAS CURIOUS FELLOW"

Mme. Louise Jaume, formerly employed in a lingerie shop, who is missing after a honeymoon at one of the villas, and whose name appears in Landru's strange notebook of

dates, once told a friend that Landru was a "dear but awfully curious fellow" who seemed to have a mania for rooting around among the fallen leaves in the garden.

Mme. Guillen, a middle-aged widow, who is one of Landru's missing friends, told a strange story to friends who have reported it to police.

Swept off her feet by the "Bluebeard's" fiery love-making, she accompanied him to one of the lonely villas. After a few days she returned to Paris to get her possessions turned into cash, explaining to friends that she was going to marry the charmer and go to Australia.

FOUND MYSTERY ROOM

She said she had inspected the villa from cellar to garret, with the exception of one room which was locked. Curiously led her to peek thru the keyhole of this room and there on the bed she saw a gorgeous layout of beautiful, lace-trimmed undergarments, sliden fabrics and smart slippers.

Landru told her the garments belonged to a deceased relative, and that he kept the room locked in a sense of devotion to her memory.

She has not been heard from since she returned to him.

WE OFFER THIS SEASON THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF BEDDING PLANTS EVER SHOWN IN THIS CITY. CAR STOPS OPPOSITE OUR PLANTS. ROSE ZETLITZ CO., WOODLAWN AVE. AND BELLE-Fontaine Ave.

ELKS PLANNING GREAT FESTIVAL

Arrangements Made for Entertainment Wednesday—Another Initiation Thursday.

Next Wednesday evening, May 21st, is the time set by the Lima Lodge Elks for the big May Festival which will include cabaret entertainment, dancing, dinner and other features. The dinner which will start the festivities will be served at 8 o'clock.

Arrangements have been made by J. T. Kaufman, exalted ruler of the lodge for ten professional cabaret players from New York as well as the original Parkers colored orchestra of Columbus. The affair promises to be one of the biggest of the year. Together with the Parkers' orchestra, Friedley's Jazz orchestra will also be present with their usual high class playing.

Reservations are being received by the committee in charge of the affair and clever invitations with a reservation card attached have been mailed to all the members of the organization. The occasion is being restricted to members and their ladies only on account of the limited capacity for accommodations.

Thursday evening there will be another big initiation of candidates for the lodge. It is reported that

fully a hundred candidates will be taken in on that night.

Another entertainment is being planned by the house committee of the lodge for Saturday night, May 24th. The entertainment will be held as an enlargement of the regular Saturday night cabaret.

The May Festival is promised to be even an eclipse of the usual New Year's entertainment of the lodge and

a car load of favors and novelties such as vari-colored hats have arrived.

TO MEN WITH MONEY

Do you want to buy a 40x100 foot lot situated less than half block from our Postoffice, see L. C. Townsend & Co., Brokers, 424 Holland Block. Phone Main 6804.

U. C. T. CARNIVAL WILL OPEN FOR WEEK HERE

The monkey will prove that he is only one removed from the human when members of that specie drive automobiles in a race at the Prof. Anthony Circus, which will be in Lima a week commencing tomorrow. Several novel features are included

in the list of attractions offered this carnival, including Marie Arto, the Belgian girl spy, Wallace's Show freaks, a real dark-town minstrel show, and other shows to attract. The show grounds will be at Wat street, near Main and Elizabeth, and is under the auspices of the local order of United Commercial Travelers.



TOM TOWNSEND'S TOGS

Seen your boy will graduate either from College or High School.

He did not accomplish his credits in a "hit or miss" fashion, he worked constantly and made a "hit" on every examination—

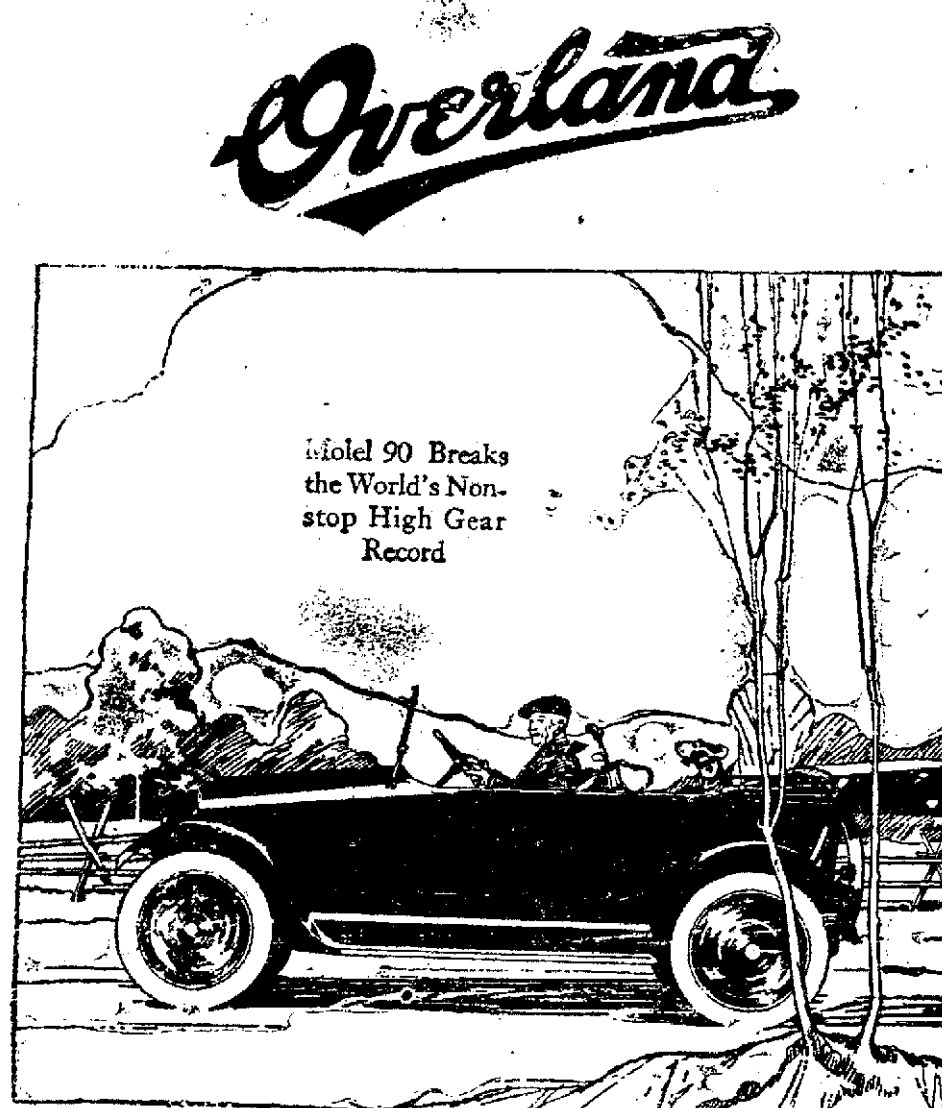
Do not let him dress for graduation in a "hit or miss" fashion, bring him here and let us take his measure for an individual tailor-made suit. He will be proud, you will be pleased with our efforts because we are

"Makers of Clothes That Show Quality."

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Oh Boy!

The owner of an Overland owns all out of doors. In his Model 90 he goes in comfort and with an enjoyment possible only because of the high quality, fine appearance and unfailing performance of his car.

Last month at Oklahoma City, when a stock Model 90 Overland car broke the world's non-stop high gear record, Overland owners were not surprised.

4,370 miles in 7 days and nights in high gear, over bad roads, through wind and rain, without one pause, was a performance that thrilled the crowd. Onto this wonderful mileage record was piled the gas record of 20.6 miles per gallon.

But Overland owners knew from experience how well Model 90 could perform. They were serenely confident and at the finish they were serenely proud.

This Model 90 record is of value only in explaining the appreciation Overland owners have of the economy and faithful performance of their cars. It explains the great demand for Model 90 cars right now.

THE LIMA OVERLAND COMPANY

Phone Main 4927

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Overland Model Ninety Five Passenger Touring Car, \$1075, including war tax, f. o. b. Lima. Come to our store.



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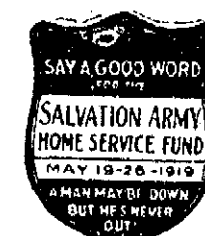
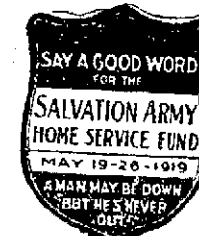
SUNDAY EVENING, 7:30 P. M. and

Ensign Claude Pownell

OF THE SALVATION ARMY TELLS HIS

THRILLING STORY OF THE FRONT TRENCHES—"Over There"

No Admittance Charge Nor Collection.



CHARTER FORM WOULD NOT BE EFFECTIVE SOON

Much Argument Now Being
Heard on Proposed Govern-
ment Change Here.

Burkhart Comes Out on Demo-
cratic Side—Harley In Re-
ceptive Mood.

By R. C. Jansen

POLITICS THE past week have been largely confined to early pro and con discussions on the proposed charter form of government, and when the new plan would operate, were it to carry at the August primaries. Those who have looked up the law give out the procedure as first the filing of petitions asking for an election for a charter form; secondly, election of a commission at the same time to draft a charter; thirdly, election for the adoption or rejection of the charter; at the November polls, and lastly, election of a commission of five or seven men as may be called for in the charter. This means that the new commission would take charge, if chosen, at the end of the terms of municipal officers elected this fall. In brief, there will be the old-style form of government with mayor and council for the next two years, at least.

Now comes forward the still probable nominees of the two dominant parties. Major John A. Harley has about concluded to shi his castor into the mayoralty ring. He will give his decision to the committee not later than Monday night, it is whispered. His opponent will be former Councilman Carl K. Rowlands, and possibly Mayor Baines H. Simpson, altho the mayor is being touted as out of it by some of his closest friends, whether with or without his assent, The News is un-informed.

On the democratic side, the cards are all in the hands of Frank A. Burkhart, the ex-railroader. He will probably have no opposition, former councilman Tom A. Collins being in line for vice-mayor. If genial Tom will accept to make a second race for the honor, Carl J. Ammer Jackson, heralded as the headliner for mayor has withdrawn and announced he will run for prosecuting attorney next year on the democratic ticket. Also on this ticket will be the former brilliant prosecutor, James A. Wendick, who will seek the common pleas bench, Judge Fred C. Becker having given it out that he will not run for the office.

While a boom has not been started as yet, there is some talk that Judge E. M. Botkins, who has so well filled the criminal court bench, serving out the unexpired term of Capt. Emmert Jackson might step into the race for mayor on the democratic side. Judge Botkins has made a wonderful record on the bench and is looked upon as one of the progressive young lawyers of the city. He has many friends and would make a hot fight for someone. If he does not get into the mayoral race it is practically certain that Judge Botkins will be a candidate for the office he now fills. So far there has been no talk of opposition to him for this judgeship, but it is regarded as certain that there will be a contest.

Among other offices to be filled Dame Rumor has it that City Treasurer Cy Jones has decided not to risk a third-term campaign, and that Harry Botkins, twenty years treasurer of the B. P. O. E., with as many friends as is ever given one man, will make the race for this portfolio and without opposition. All republicans and many democrats will be for Botkins. For city auditor no better man is available than D. L. Ruppert and he should go thru for a third term and a fourth. For city solicitor Ed. Galling will be the republican nominee and the hustling young Francis W. Durbin will oppose him on the democratic side, making some "hoss" race.

For vice-mayor on the republican side, no one is ever mentioned but the Grand New Man of the South Side, W. J. Dempster, whose experience in the legislative branch is well worth retaining. In this city legislature, republicans will make a vigorous attempt to get the consent of big and well known men to accept nominations for councilmen-at-large. Mentioned among those who will be approached on the grounds that they owe it to the city to serve are W. J. Russell, the oil king; Charles Schultze, retired tannery prince; and M. L. Johnson, manufacturer with a punch. If such men can be secured, there should be an end to complaint about the acts of council, always blamed whether right or wrong.

There is still much educational work to be done in the city-manager campaign as few people understand its workings. There is said to be a slogan soon to come entitled "It Can't Be Worse," but this might be a bad thing to so label our city, pride of everybody. To paint it broadcast on that slogan doesn't seem good municipal advertising, regardless of what form of government we have or may get. The pot should be boiling immediately after the petitions are filed, and until then no line can be had on the voice of the people. At a meeting of the Pattern Makers association, Friday night, according to a communication from Frank J. Woodford, secretary, a straw vote was taken and

every member voted "for" and the communication doesn't state how many members were there.

COMPLETE PLANS FOR OPENING OF NEXT CONGRESS

Organization Expected to Take
Short Time After Convening
Monday.

WASHINGTON — Congressional leaders were in a quandary Saturday night over notifying President Wilson of the convening of the extra session of congress at noon Monday.

Extended conferences Saturday between house and senate Republican leaders failed to bring agreement as to whether the president should be notified by cable or not notified at all.

Representative Gillett, Massachusetts, speaker-elect of the house, finally declared that if other leaders did not make provision for formal notice to the executive, he would appoint a committee to cable the Purvis White House, following house organization.

READY TO ORGANIZE.

Final touches were put on organization plans Saturday that the 66th congress might get under way smoothly.

Formal organization of house and senate promises to take a short time Monday. Republicans will take control of both branches—the first time they have held both since 1913.

They will elect Representative F. H. Gillett, Massachusetts, speaker of the house, and Senator Cummins, Iowa, president pro-tem of the senate and install slates to officials already agreed on.

The past party caucus was held Saturday night when house Republicans met. Before the meeting Republican leader Mandell stated the dispute over the size of the steering committee would not come up Saturday night but would be deferred to a later caucus. Saturday night's meeting, Mandell said, was simply to ratify the report of the committees on committees and discuss the legislative program prepared this week by the steering committee. This, if approved by the caucus, will get the right of way until disposed of, FIGHT IN SENATE.

House committees will be ready for work early next week, leaders said. In the senate the formation of committees is being delayed because progressives are fighting Senators Penrose and Warren as chairmen of the finance and appropriations committees. Senator Lodge has not yet named the committee on committees which makes up committee membership. He indicated Saturday night he will do so Monday.

Lodge said he had not been notified when President Wilson's message will be presented. Senate leaders have had tentative plans to recess Monday immediately after organizing until Thursday, unless they learn that the message will be received either Monday or Tuesday.

It is expected to be delivered by a White House messenger just as communications and other communications from the president are. Many members of both houses are ready to introduce bills and resolutions at the first opportunity. Most of them deal with reconstruction programs.

HOUSE AND SENATE DEMOCRATS CAUCUSED Saturday. Champ Clark was

elect floor leader. This is the seventh time Clark has been chosen to lead his party in the house.

In speeches to the caucus, Clark and Representative Kitchen praised President Wilson and called for party harmony and cooperation with the Republicans.

Anti-Clark men failed to develop

their threatened Irish freedom, presented by Representative Gallivan Massachusetts.

Senate Democrats re-elected Senator Martin their leader and decided to protest against allowing the Republicans to have a margin of three members on important committees.

At the Republican caucus Saturday night, Representative Royal Johnson, South Dakota, announced that he would not push the fight which he made in co-operation with Representative Longworth, Ohio, for an increase in the steering committee, until the members had a chance to settle down and become better acquainted with conditions.

MOTHER GOOSE PARTY.

Given by Ladies Aid of South Side Church of Christ at Memorial Hall Friday, May 23rd, evening, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

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TO THOSE WHO WANT TO SAVE.—BE SURE TO ATTEND THIS SALE IN OUR

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25c Curtain SCRIM AT 15 ¹ / ₂ c	35c Curtain SCRIM 19c	45c FANCY SCRIMS 27c	FILET NETS 39 ^c up	DRAPERY MADRAS 38c
\$1.50 SCRIM CURTAINS 86c	UP TO \$3.00 CURTAINS 1.86	\$4.00 LACE CURTAINS 2.88	50c FANCY CRETONNE 39c	FILET NET CURTAINS 3.39

MONDAY! WE OFFER WOMEN'S UP TO \$30 FASHIONABLE

SPRING SUITS

SERGES AND POPLINS

Many a woman has yet to buy her Spring Suit. This Monday offer of distinctive which compare favorably with suits selling for almost twice as much will attract those who demand both value and style. These suits are plain and fancy, silk braided trimmed models. All sizes \$15.

SPECIAL MONDAY

SALE OF WOMEN'S \$18.00 AND \$20.00 COATS AT 12⁵⁰/₁₀₀

SERGES, MIXTURES, POPLINS

MONDAY—An extraordinary sale of women's new spring coats, made of the materials mentioned above, choose from classy models that are neatly trimmed with two-tone collars and cuffs, all wanted popular colors, all wanted sizes at \$12.50.

\$30.00 SMART COATS, CAPES AND DOLMANS

VELOURS, SERGES, MIXTURES

Stunning new Wraps of extraordinary values have been grouped for Monday. The styles are attractive and graceful, and folks are going to wonder how we can sell them for \$15. Many styles of collar treatments, linings are most attractive and serviceable, all wanted colors, at \$15.

SALE OF WOMEN'S \$4.00 SERGE SKIRTS

BLACK OR NAVY BLUE AT 2⁵⁰/₁₀₀

Sale of women's new serge skirts, choose from black or navy blue. We purchased 200 of these skirts at a very low price and all who come here Monday will wonder at the smart styles to be had at this price of \$2.50.

DR. COLLETT'S PILE REMEDY

If Your Doctor Advised You of Course You'd Use

DR. COLLETT'S PILE REMEDY (Soporific Form) sold by all druggists.

Thompson's Drug Store, Eastern Ave. Drug Store, Marion Bros. Drug Store, Rex Cross Drug Store, The United Drug Store, Kline's Drug Store.

SALE OF BOYS' \$8.50 SUITS 5.85

Monday, we offer 75 Boys' Real \$8.50 Suits, at the low price of \$5.85; choose from many smart styles, in all wanted colors, from 7 to 17 years. Norfolk and the new French style, all shades at \$5.85.

Boys' \$1.00 WAISTS 65c

Boys' first color Percale and Gingham suits, in all wanted sizes, cut full, special sale at 65c.

BOYS' UNION SUITS 45c

Boys' summer weight Union Suits in cream color, all wanted sizes, special sale for Monday at 45c.

BOYS' \$1.00 PANTS 65c

Boys' School Pants, in khaki and possibly my furs, all wanted sizes, cut full, special at 65c.

BOYS' WASH SUITS 1.45

Boys' last color Wash Suits, in stripes and plain colors, worth \$2.25, regular, special at \$1.45.

UNDERSELLING SHOE DEPT.

MONDAY! \$1.98 SALE!

The Under-selling Shoe Department of Lima, not only in name but in fact. Just a few of our great values advertised here Monday \$1.98 will have the buying power of \$2.00 at the Boston Store. Be on hand early if you want bargains in low shoes, at \$1.98.

\$3.50 WHITE OXFORDS \$1.98

Women's White Canvas Oxfords, with covered Lous or military heels, all sizes, at \$1.98.

\$3.00 PUMPS OR STRAPS \$1.98

Women's Patent or Kid Pumps, with high heels, also growing girls' strapped slippers, all sizes at \$1.98.

Wom's \$3 White Lace Boots \$1.98

White Canvas Lace Boots, 8 inches high, with Lous, military or low heels, all sizes, at \$1.98.

Wom's \$2.79 Comfort Slippers 1.98

Women's Comfort Slippers of kid leather with flexible hand-turned soles, one-strap style at \$1.98.

Boys' Elk Hide Shoes, with solid leather soles, in all sizes all 50c, at \$1.98.

BOYS' \$2.85 ELK SHOES \$1.98

Girls' Low Slippers, with patent colt leather or black kid, in baby doll style, at \$1.98.

MEN'S BEST \$2.00

Overalls 1.24

Mens Overalls, in plain blue, cut full, in all sizes, worth \$2.00, special at \$1.24.

MEN'S \$1.50 Work SHIRTS 79c

Mens Work Shirts, in light and dark blue, Chambray and black, 3 sizes, all wanted sizes, at 79c.

MEN'S \$1 UNION SUITS 69c

Mens summer weight Balbriggan Union suits, in all wanted sizes, short sleeves, ankle length, at 69c.

MEN'S 19c DRESS HOSE AT 11c

Mens Dress Hose, in black and all wanted colors, all sizes, special at 11c.

WO'S 59c CORSET COVERS 25c

Women's Corset Covers, with hand-embroidered trim, only a few of the best at 25c.

WOM'S \$7 SPORT Sweaters 3.50

Women's Sport Sweaters in all wanted colors, slip-over style, worth \$7 regular, special at \$3.50.

WO'S 15c GAUZE VESTS 9c

Women's Gauze Vests, choose from many styles, in all sizes, special Monday at 9c.

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Children's fast black hose, in all wanted sizes, worth 25c, regular, Monday special at 19c.

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CROSSLEY SLATED AS OIL INSPECTOR

Head of Democratic Organization Neither Confirms or Denies Report.

Announcement from Columbus to the effect that Minor C. Crossley has been appointed to succeed C. I. Moore as deputy state oil inspector was not confirmed or denied when he was seen Saturday regarding the appointment.

A dispatch from the capital city in which it is stated that Crossley had been nominated by Governor Cox to succeed the retired incumbent of the office was neither denied or affirmed by Crossley.

Crossley who has been actively engaged in oil operations in and about Lima has been slated as the logical man for the position for sometime.

"I can neither affirm or deny the statement of my appointment," he said when asked regarding the statement.

The appointment is to take effect June 1 under provisions made by State Oil Inspector Charles L. Desch, the Columbus Dispatch says. Crossley is head of the Allen county Democratic organization and was active in support of Governor Cox in the last election.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

Williams and Davis ambulance Friday removed Mrs. F. E. Lewis from 210 1/2 south Central avenue to the City hospital. Sylvester Golden was removed Saturday morning from 1425 Rice avenue to the City hospital.

Siferd's ambulance Saturday removed William Spelgerwald from 618 south Central avenue to the City hospital; Mr. Busche from St. Rita's hospital to his home at 533 Hazel avenue and L. E. Brown from the Pennsylvania railroad station to the City hospital. Mr. Brown was brought here from Upper Sandusky to have an operation performed.

ROLL OF HONOR

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	3
Died from wounds	4
Died of accident and other causes	12
Died of disease	15
Wounded severely	19
Wounded, degree undetermined	27
Wounded slightly	213
Missing in action	1

Total 294
Died of Accident and Other Causes: Edward M. Streiber, Akron.

Wounded Slightly. — Clarence A. Gusman, Circleville; Elsworth Shinnabery, Grover Hill; Dennis Sullivan, Cincinnati; Albert L. White, Greenfield; Elvis C. Gregory, Marengo; Arthur Howarth, Cleveland; Leo E. Kamps, Vermilion; Lawrence W. Zonner, Chillicothe; James F. Joyce, Dover; Frank Kruse, Cincinnati; Crawford Binkley, Greenville.

Died of Accident and Other Causes: William Elmer Searlight, Celina; Carl Stribling, Youngstown.

Killed in Action—Previously Reported Died: Stefan Milton, Cleveland.

NON-TAX DRINKS

Here's Some Joy For Lima Soda Enthusiasts.

Internal revenue officers announce that certain drinks sold at soda fountains and ice cream parlors are not taxable. Also that certain medicinal preparations sold at fountains escape the tax.

On the first list are included: Hot beef tea, coffee, tea, buttermilk, milk, hot chocolate, cocoa, hot clam bisque, hot tomato bisque, hot tomato bouillon.

In the second list are: bromoseltzer, citrate of magnesia, rochelle salts, selditz powders, bicarbonate of soda, aromatic spirits of ammonia, epsom salts, essence of pepin.

Beverages sold from closed containers are not taxed as manufacturer's tax on such drinks has already been levied.

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McCAMMON PIANO	\$ 45
KINGSBURY	\$125
GUILD	\$ 95
HARRINGTON	\$125
McCAMMON	\$190
DAYTON	\$145

FISCHER	\$225
LIKE NEW	
WILLARD	\$160
WHITNEY & CURRIER	\$175
NEWMAN BROS.	\$200
LIKE NEW	
KINGSBURY	\$165
NEWMAN BROS.	\$175
KOHLER & CAMPBELL	\$190
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LOCO REPRESENTATIVE LEAVES FOR YUCATAN

Preparing for the opening of business, the Lima Locomotive works is sending their representatives into the highways and byways working up trade for the local plant.

The latest business hunter to leave the city in quest of orders is Bruce Kittle, who goes to Yucatan. The rumor is that the prospect of a large order of light direct engines is in that part of the hemisphere, and the local company is out for it.

One 50-ton Shay locomotive order

came into the shop Saturday which was the first Shay order in two months. It is understood the engine is to be built for an Alabama concern.

Work has commenced on the 10 direct engines for the Chinese railroad, and this will keep the plant busy for a time.

LIMA EMPLOYMENT MEN WILL ATTEND MEETING

Several local representatives will be present at the Employment Managers' Conference to be held at Cleveland May 21, 22 and 23.

H. D. Rohm, of the Locomotive works; F. E. Duffy, chief clerk at L. E. and W. Railway company; A. R. Sellers, East Iron Machine company; W. H. Boyer, Gramm-Bernstein Motor Truck company; and M. R. Allen, Garford Motor Truck company, will probably attend the conference.

Several matters of current importance will be discussed, including the question of the relation between the employment office to the foremen and executive, and the making of greater efficiency in the shops.

The headquarters of the gathering will be at the Cleveland Hotel.

GIRLS WANTED TO LEARN CHOCOLATE DIPPING. APPLY AT ONCE. THE F. J. BANTA & SON COMPANY.

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Of Perry township said that he would not take \$50.00 for his Finger Pad Rupture Supporter, if he could not get another one. Sold and fitted by

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CAN'T SAVE? THEN TRY THIS METHOD AND SEE CHANGE

Budget Arranged By Bank-System for Spending Plan Urged.

There are ways to cut corners on the high cost of living, says the government in its nation-wide campaign for "thrift."

One is to spend systematically—and that is to spend less.

A household budget system helps regular saving say the experts.

One Lima bank has prepared a "suggested budget for the average family." It was worked out on the basis of many family incomes carefully and wisely spent. Check it against your income and expenditures. It may reveal the leaks.

Figures are based on an average family which consists of two adults and two or three children. Savings, food, shelter, operating expenses, clothing and advancement are the way it is divided up.

Operating expenses include fuel, light, water, telephone service, household equipment and the like. Advancement includes education, medical expenses, clubs, church, charity, gifts, magazine, and the like.

Here is the schedule:

MONTHLY INCOME \$160 to \$125

Savings, \$4 to \$8, food \$14 to \$48, shelter \$16 to \$25, operating expenses \$10 to \$12, clothing \$15 to \$20, advancement \$11 to \$12.

MONTHLY INCOME \$125 to \$150 Savings, \$15 to \$30, food \$56 to \$60, shelter \$25 to \$35, operating expenses \$12 to \$14, clothing \$17 to \$22, advancement \$12 to \$15.

MONTHLY INCOME \$150 to \$200 Savings, \$15 to \$20, food \$56 to \$60, shelter \$25 to \$35, operating expenses \$12 to \$18, clothing \$22 to \$30, advancement \$17 to \$27.

MONTHLY INCOME \$200 to \$250 Savings, \$30 to \$50, food \$60 to \$63, shelter \$35 to \$40, operating expenses \$18 to \$26, clothing \$30 to \$36, advancement \$27 to \$35.

MONTHLY INCOME \$250 to \$300 Savings, \$50 to \$70, food \$63 to \$65, shelter \$40 to \$50, operating expenses \$26 to \$32, clothing \$36 to \$42, advancement \$35 to \$44.

MONTHLY INCOME \$300 to \$400 Savings, \$75 to \$100, food \$65 to \$75, shelter \$50 to \$75, operating expenses \$32 to \$45, clothing \$42 to \$56, advancement \$44 to \$48.

The big thing, say thrift campaigners, is to have some schedule to go by—not necessarily the one suggested—but some one whereby outgo can be checked against income.

REPORTED DEAD, BUT LOCAL MAN WAS NOT EVEN HURT IN BATTLE

There was no parting band concert, or return welcome on a grand scale for L. E. Miller, with the 16th Engineers last army troops, but he saw action on several fronts and is grateful to be home again.

After having been reported dead, from wounds received in battle, last March, young Miller wrote and disavowed any such rumors. Alvin was with the 16th engineers thru the defensive of the 3rd British army campaign on the Y, Amiens front from April 5 to 29 and fought with the American forces during the Meuse-Argonne offensive from October 23 to November 11.

Miller received no wounds and returned safely last week to Lima.

Miller was employed in the city engineers' office prior to his enlistment and will resume his duties in that department commencing Monday.

The 16th Engineers was the only engineering organization wearing combat insignia during the war.

TWAS ONLY MISTAKE AND NOT CASE OF A THEFT

J. A. Harvey, who resides on rural route No. 8, north of the city, thought he had lost his automobile Saturday and enlisted the aid of the police department to help find it.

Harvey was under the impression that he had left the machine standing parked on the south side of High street just west of Main.

Officer Ramsey was sent in search of the lost vehicle and after a short hunt along the main thoroughfare of the city found the machine in question parked on Main street just south of High.

It was only a mistake and not a case of a theft.

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ST. MARYS G. O. P. DECIDE TO QUIT POLITICAL 'HEN'

Protection From Socialist Encroachments Believed No Longer Necessary

Plan to Nominate "Regular" Ticket at the Primary in August

A political mandate has been promulgated at St. Marys, one that has shaken the old parties from stem to stern, the length and breadth of the city that lies to east of the shores of Lake St. Marys, the big pond where water lilies thrive not, but put!

where the festive carp and catfish hold daily frolic in the murky waters of the inland salt sea, due to salt water discharges from the many abandoned oil wells within the lake.

After six years of absence from an old style knock down and drag out set to between the Republicans and Democrats in affairs municipal, the leaders of the Republican party in St. Marys have decided that there is no longer need for a hovering of Democratic and Republicans under the same "hen" for protection from the encroachment of the Socialists. G. B. Hamilton, J. W. Makley Web Morris and James Havenar, survivors of that wing of the former dominant G. O. P. that was of the "regular" stripe, and which stood defiantly by their colors when nearly all but them had fled to the party of the Moose, have decreed, and have given utterance to their decision in print, by heck, that in the forthcoming primary election, in August of this year of grace, that a "regular" Republican ticket is going to be nominated, and that the "dear political tale back of all this, St. Marys never was securely Democratic or

tunity to vote for Republican candidates to guide the good ship St. Marys, into safe waters or disastrously on the shoals—that remains for the future to disclose.

DEMOCRATIC MOVE NEXT
At any rate, the Republican leaders propose to give the voters of the metropolis of the county an opportunity to say by their ballots whether they will have sought of Republican patriots as their accredited representatives in positions municipal, from Mayor down the line to Street Commissioner. And since the Republicans have thrown down the gauntlet—cast their hats into the ring, as 'twere, it is up to the Democrats to do likewise, or cast their lot with the Republicans and accept the election of a complete Republican ticket, or scrap 'em to the bitter end, and thus afford the Socialists an opportunity to again get into the saddle, after having been summarily kicked out four years ago.

And there's an interesting little political tale back of all this, St. Marys never was securely Democratic or

Republican. In each succeeding election it was a tossup as to which party should control municipal offices and municipal affairs generally. Consequently, the fights were bitter, long knives were whetted and political gore flowed freely every time the polls were opened. The natural consequence was that six years ago, the way was nicely paved for a season of socialism. Recognizing that the time was ripe for the realization of his own personal ambitions, caring not whether his city ever survived the shock, Scott Wilkins, a mail carrier, who had become inoculated with the germ of socialism, started the preaching of his doctrine among susceptible folks, with the result that they hailed him him as a deliverer. The scrap between the Republicans and Democrats continued unabated. Then came the election, it was a three cornered fight. The Socialists won.

MANY LAWSUITS
Wilkins and his followers than gave a good imitation of what Socialism applied really means, it was a strenuous two years for the staid old city. Lawsuits galore were instituted. The Socialists appeared to be working on the theory that every man who had in any matter anything to do with municipal affairs in the past was not to be trusted. Factory owners were hounded by their socialistically inclined help and it was charged that sabotage was practiced. Before the end of the two years term of the socialist regime, the city was in such a turmoil and its "fame" as the home of "ideal" socialism had spread to such extent that folks seeking a new location for a residence or business shunned the city, while many who were in it devoutly wished they were out.

But, thanks to the wise action of the Democratic and Republican leaders, deliverance came. Four years ago there was wrought a fusion of the Democrats and Republicans. A Citizens' ticket was nominated, and there is where the trouble began. The Democrats "hogged" the places, it was charged. But, in the interest of the city's welfare, prejudices were laid aside, and unitedly these who refused to be inoculated by the virus of Socialism, outvoted Wilkins and his followers. A big public celebration was held. The Socialists were "licked to a frazzle," and the future prosperity, peace and quiet of the city was assured, the folks believed. But, the damage that Socialism applied did to the city could not easily be remedied. Industrial affairs were in bad way. Confidence had been destroyed. It was a case of bringing order out of chaos.

JOB ON NEW SHOULDERS
The job was laid on the shoulders of Dr. G. M. Raudabaugh, a young dental practitioner who hailed from Mercer county. Right manfully he tackled the job. He was given yeoman aid by men of both the old parties. St. Marys recovered its equilibrium and former Mayor Wilkins, who had found that there was more money anyway in the real estate business and in becoming a national Socialist demonstrator than there was in being mayor of a small city trucked to Lima. Four years ago he saw to it that the Socialist again tacked the chance of electing a municipal ticket. The administration of the men elected on the Citizens' ticket hadn't been a success—that was the

trouble breeding bug the Socialists turned loose. Wilkins had placed in nomination for mayor a factory worker, Mr. Brittingham, a fine citizen and perfectly sane on any subject save Socialism. Indeed it looked bad for the mayor, but a lot of dissatisfaction was apparent, injected for the most part by the Socialists, it was later discovered.

The ensuing campaign was, in political parlance, "a bird." The Socialists held nightly meetings and made bold claims as to what they intended doing to the enemy. Again a considerable portion of the people appeared to be flocking to the party of the "red" flag. But when the votes were counted, Wilkins and his fellowers went home early to bed. Scott hasn't bothered St. Marys much since that time, but in 1917, when he saw

that John G. Heinrich was going to try to worst Mayor Fred A. Klipfel of Wapakoneta in a second trip before the voters, Wilkins moved from Lima to Wapakoneta, in time to gain a legal residence and get his name on the ticket as a Socialist candidate for mayor.

DECISIVE DEFEAT
Retaining a vivid recollection of the experience that St. Marys had passed through, Wapakoneta made the election of Mayor Klipfel for a second so decisive that neither of the other candidates had a looking. It wasn't unpopularity that gave John G. Heinrich a small vote. It was fear on a part of the people that a close race would afford Wilkins the chance he was seeking. Klipfel received 755, Heinrich 325 and Wilkins 161. Then Scott moved to Ada—

but he returns occasionally, just to keep the "boys" stirred up. That, in brief is some St. Marys and Wapakoneta's political history. And now, since the fat has gone forth from the time tried and true, never say die old line leaders of the party of the Elephant in St. Marys, that they're going to go it alone this year, the Democrats can't very well do other than do likewise. And right here is where the socialistic contingent of the canal town is taking renewed courage. They see bright hopes of edging in between the Republicans and the Democrats. Mayor Harvey Smith, who walked away from all contenders two years ago, will very likely be in the political marathon again this year. It will be interesting to watch political developments in this neck of the woods.

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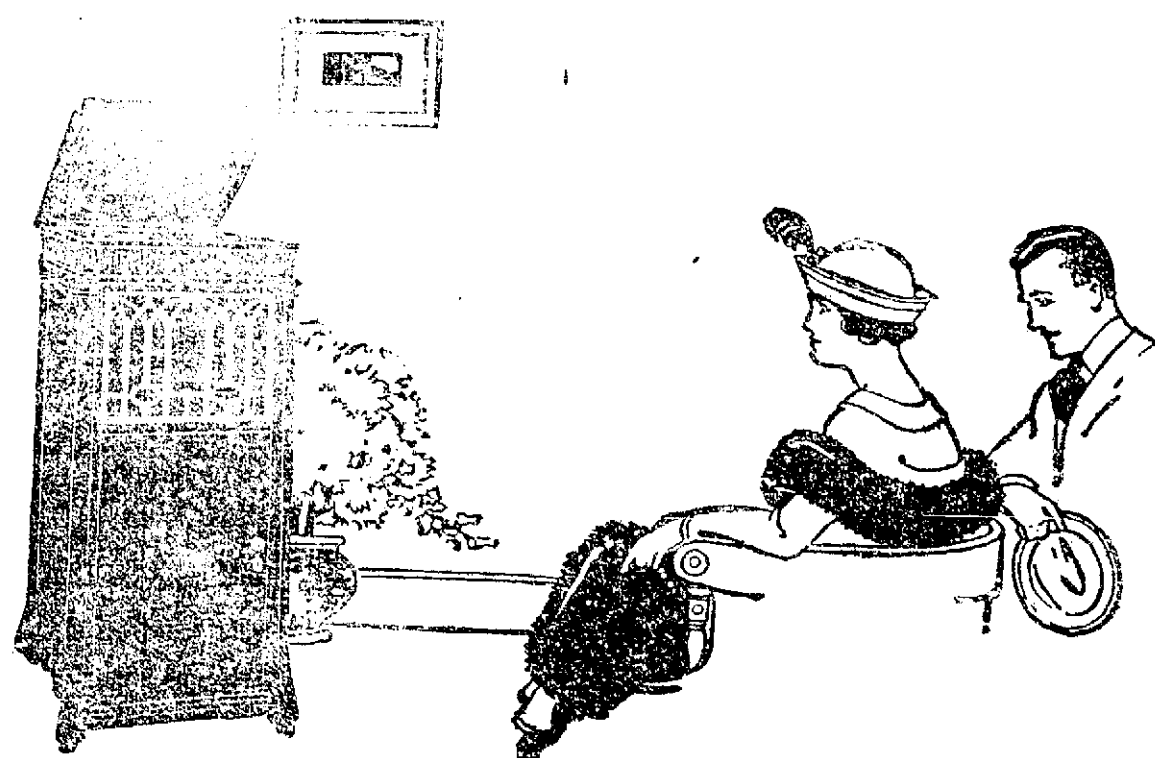
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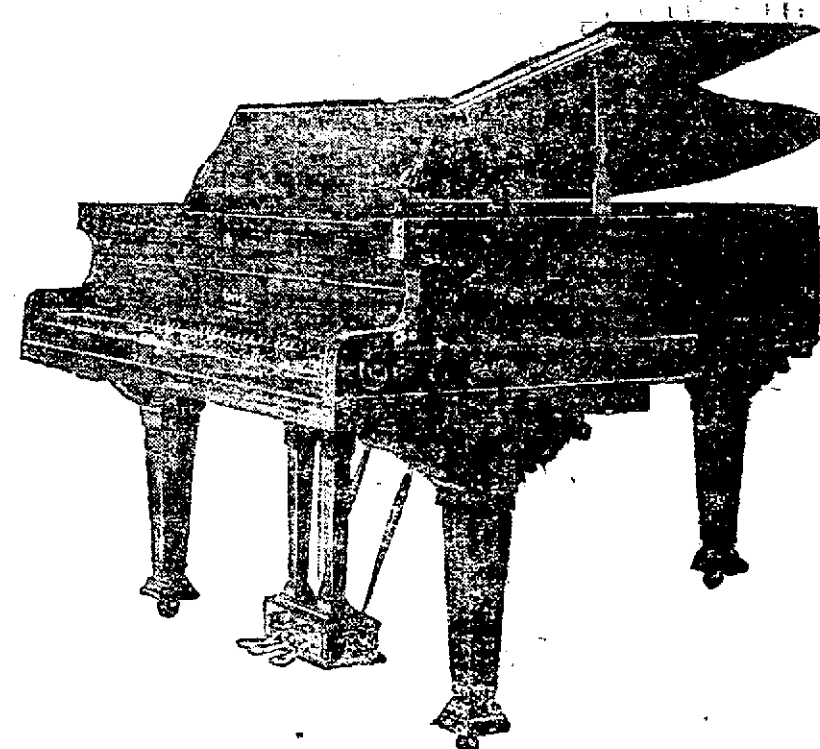
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We have the men and women. We have a smooth running, economical organization; we have the will and ability to serve. We need one thing more—money.

You could not go "over there" to carry comfort and friendliness to the boys in billets and trenches, but your support made it possible for us to go. Ask the boys what they think of the Salvation Army—its service and doughnuts. You may not be able to go into the slums and tenements to carry cheer and hope and food and fuel and coal. We can. We will—if YOU will send us.

The war has taught the whole world new methods of business efficiency. It has taught us. We have learned that the tambourine lassie, instead of begging for pennies, must be put to more important tasks. She is to be relieved of her begging. We are going to have a national drive for the \$13,000,000 we need to carry on our work for the coming year.

Think of the demobilized soldiers who need our help—and give. Think of the city slums broiling under the summer's sun—and give. Think of the thousands of men who are "down" (but never "out" to us)—and give. Think of the wretched, the friendless and forlorn whom we succor. Think of the barren hopelessness of dreary tenements with bitter winter rattling the broken window-frames. Think of the outcasts and wayward—the prodigal sons and daughters whom we rescue and restore. Think of US doing YOUR work as your agents for

"I was hungry and ye gave me to eat,
I was thirsty and ye gave me drink,
I was a stranger, and ye took me in;
naked, and ye clothed me; I was sick,
and ye visited me; I was in prison,
and ye came unto me."

Think well on these things—GIVE—GIVE!



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HUNTS CAMP FOR DEMPSEY

TOLEDO, Ohio.—On the hunt for training quarters where Jack Dempsey will do his preparatory work for the bout with Jess Willard, that will make pugilistic history, here on July 4, went the challenger, Tex Richard, Manager Jack Kearns and Ad Thacher Saturday afternoon.

Kearns is seeking a bungalow along the Maumee for Dempsey. The sleeping quarters will be away from the rest of the camp, which will include houses for the trainers, rubbers and other camp followers.

It is the intention of Kearns to locate a spot that will have facilities for erecting a small arena where Dempsey can work in public.

Advance reservation of tickets now amounts to close to \$200,000. It is figured now, conservatively that the ultimately sales will easily reach \$500,000.

Work is beginning to move rapidly in the construction of the arena. In another week, this mammoth structure which will be 600 feet from side to side will begin to take shape.

Willard's arrival is still problematical. Rickard wants the champion to start for Toledo next week, but there is no telling when Jess will make up his mind.

TIGERS DEFEATED BY SENATORS

DETROIT.—The Tigers continued on their losing streak Saturday, Washington winning 3 to 2. Two singles and a triple in the opening session was largely responsible for the result.

Scores:

Washington 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—3 6 1

Detroit 0 0 1 0 1 0 3 0 0—2 6 1

Shaw and Picinich; Boland and Ainsmith.

Stolen bases, Ellison. Three base hit Rice. Base on balls off Shaw 6; off Boland 3. Struck out by Shaw 2; Boland 3; Double plays Ellison to Bush to Heilmann; Boland to Heilmann; Umpires Connolly and Nallin.

OHIO TRACKS RECORDS ARE Smashed.

WOOSTER, Ohio. — Three Ohio inter-scholastic track records were broken today in the northeastern Ohio meet. McCreary, clipped, one second off the 120-yard high hurdle mark when he made distance in 17 seconds. Ward, Lakewood High, lowered the mark for the mile run 4 3-5 seconds when he negotiated the route in four minutes, 48 2-5 seconds.

Kursh, also of Lakewood, added two inches to the shot put record when he heaved the ball 39 feet 6 1-2 inches.

YALE BEATS HARVARD

NEW HAVEN.—Yale's track team defeated the Harvard track team Saturday afternoon in the first dual meet between the schools since 1915, 64 1/2 points to 53 1/4.

The events were run off in the midst of showers which constantly swept the track and kept in the track events and distance in the field contest down.

HEAD PIN TOURNAMENT AT Y. M. C. A.

Bowling fans can exercise their scientific eye in the headpin tournament scheduled for the Y. M. C. A. alleys this week.

The rolling starts Monday night and will continue each night during the week.

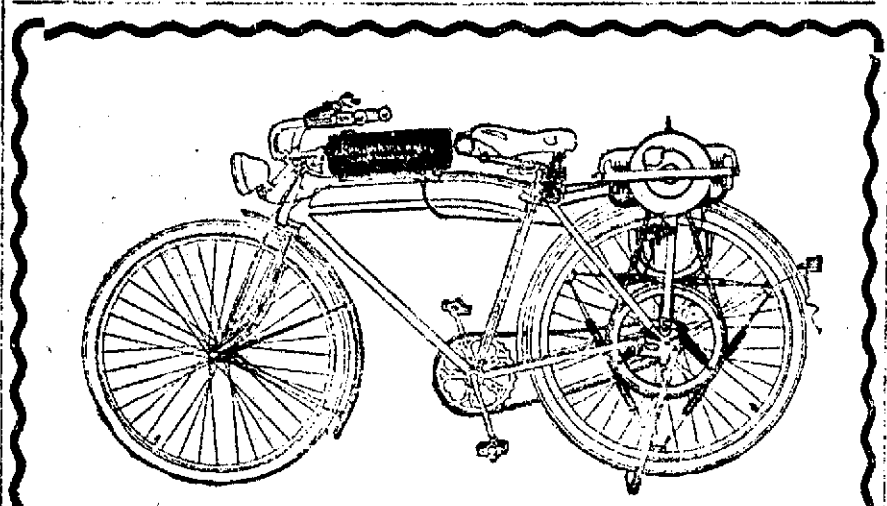
The following names are on the first night's slate: G. H. Isenberger and C. C. Nichols, 7 o'clock; William Morehead and George H. Redersen, 7:30; I. H. Moeller and O. B. Schultz 8:00; S. H. Harris and F. C. Gutter, 8:30; A. Benedict and H. A. Graham 9:00; H. H. Starrett and C. C. Gordon 9:30.

Headpin bowling is something new on Lima alleys, and obviously the idea is to clout pin No. 1 otherwise the pins does not count in that roll.

The highest score possible is 120; altho any score over 100 is considered excellent.

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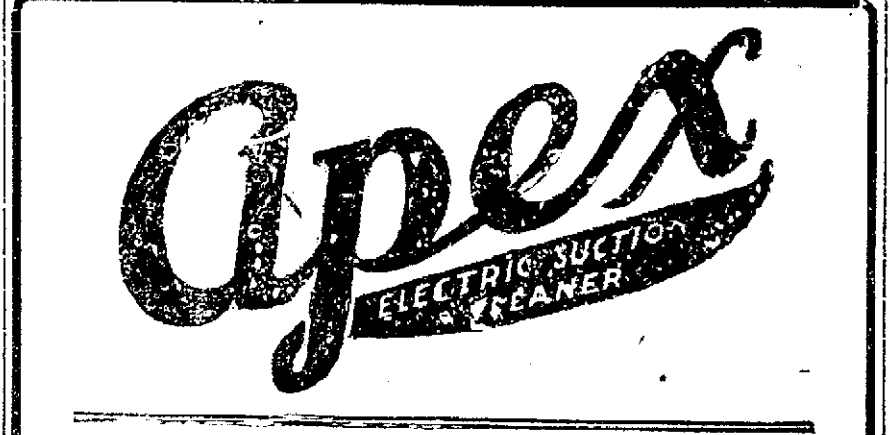
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LIMA WAS WELL REPRESENTED AT WELFARE MEET

Many Innovations in Child Work Here Expected to Be the Result.

Much Emphasis Placed on Handling of Defective Cases By Experts.

No city of the United States was better represented, in the matter of expert attendance, than Lima at the conference in Washington 5th to 8th inclusive, of the specialists in Child Welfare and maintenance and extension of existing world standards.

Miss Anna Moore, Field Worker for the Allen County Child Welfare Association, was the regularly accredited delegate of this body at the meeting, which was not a large one, because of the crowded condition of the Capital; but there were several other Limalites at one or another of the associate functions, women who are like Miss Alice M. Hill identified with some important feature of the work at Washington headquarters.

As a result of Miss Moore's visit and participation, and the cordial reception of her report at the annual meeting and banquet of the Association at the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday, Lima may expect some important innovations in the care and education of the child, particularly those of the sub normal and insufficiently nourished type.

And there will be more attention given the playground and recreational divisions too; especially in those sections of the city where the normal child is deprived of them; which, it is now known, is one of the prime causes of school delinquency, and juvenile depravity. Among the more conspicuous improvement features considered an early necessity here, and which served for eloquent addresses at Washington, showing their great value to childhood were these:

Establishment of a dental clinic for school children.

Location of nutritional clinics.

Amplification of Public Health Nursing.

Revision of some Juvenile Court practices.

Segregation of mental defectives and the normal children in homes. Everything in the line of special progress in a desirable way centered about the school and the character of its supervision," said Miss Moore, recalling features of the meeting. "The sentiment seemed to be that as it stands, the school is now the breeding place for disease; whereas it should be the clearing house for disease."

A wonderful idea advanced at the meeting suggested maintenance of expert and sensible supervision over the little one from the cradle thru kindergarten and the grades to graduation. The records of these observations to be handed along successively from teacher to teacher from guardian to guardian or custodian until when the child is ready to face the world he is ready, and society and business knows quite readily the grade for which he is qualified without experiment.

The Lima delegate was impressed also with the experiences and recommendations of the visiting delegates from Europe who, along with such eminent authorities as Dr. William Healy who spoke of "The Place of the Medical-Psychological Clinic in the Treatment of Delinquents and considered the most eminent expert in the world on such matters emphasized this statement:

"We must be very careful about hasty decisions in commitments of the defective child. Tests revealing certain facts do not always speak in early child life, of unalterable courses in commitment procedure. They demand a long and continued study, with a medium of common sense for guide.

Dr. Walter E. Fernald, another well known expert on the handling of the mentally defective also talked in this strain; and in his address on "State Programs for the Care of the Mentally Defective" advocated a careful segregation, with sensible supervision, and above all a constant care to prevent association with the normal child at play time. If the proper supervision is had, and the record faithfully kept, Dr. Fernald believes that this gradual inoculation of correct habits will, in this formative period, become permanent, and the sub normal, or otherwise defective child be saved from what in the usual process is sure to produce a criminal and a dependent upon the state.

The observations are of special value to Lima and this section just now because of the pressure on the Juvenile Courts of which Judge Becker is the very competent head.

In another column of the News today will be found reference to a very flagrant case, that of the Manchuan children; ordered committed to the state institution at Columbus, after two years' association with the mentally normal little ones at the Children's Home in Shawnee township. It is hoped by the Juvenile Court officials that the boy, who is criminally vicious and dangerous, may be admitted although as it has been frequently stated there is no room for any more, and there exists a waiting list of nearly one thousand.

This statement by Mrs. Nettie Miller, agent of the Court indicates that the Allen County officials are on the right road; and will be glad to fall in with the ideas and plans of the Child Welfare experts: Said Mrs. Miller:

"The State realizes that it is better to assist mothers to care for their children at home than to commit them to some public home or insti-

tution for the care of children. No matter how excellently the institution is conducted a child will develop better and more humanly under the influence of its mother."

In this connection the Child Welfare Association's Field Worker Miss Moore brings back from Washington this special thought: "We need more probation officers to keep children out of court instead of bringing them into it. They should be practical and experienced; and prepared to study cases."

Recalling the talk made by Judge Victor P. Arnold, Juvenile Court Judge of Chicago, Miss Moore notes that the judge in his address on "What Constitutes Sufficient Grounds for the Removal of a Child from His Home" first of all deprecated the practice of hustling the child off to a reform school or farm.

The child should not be taken from his home or its parents except when either or both are morally unfit or addicted to drink; everything else should be tried before turning them in the place which they naturally look upon as the abode of vice and the hopelessly depraved. Records kept of such commitments show conclusively that those who come out of them have enjoyed no correctional influence; it has been merely a temporary detaining place where its inmates brood over real or fancied slights and cruelties, and the most of whom when released are actually a menace to the community. This idea was also expounded by the Association's special guest of Thursday at the annual meeting and later at the banquet of the evening, Mr. C. V. Williams who talked at the Washington conference also on "State Su-

pervision of Agencies and Institutions" Mr. Williams said very emphatically to the Lima and Allen County members of the local association:

"Community service. This is the big thing. Let us develop not so much the institutional propaganda as that of real Community service. Let us emphasize and practice the 'Big Brother, the Big Sister' idea. Help the troubled ones with the care of a mentally defective child to give it proper sanitary and hygienic care, to bring into its life the expert suggestions that will smooth gradually its pathway toward normality, and at the same time to keep it from its normal mates, both for its own and their good. Try everything else before rushing off to the Juvenile Court, or foisting it onto a Children's Home or other institutions where it is de-

prived of the influence of those who should be its best protectors and guides."

The report of the Association's Field Worker presented on Thursday at the annual meeting is interesting; showing something of what the organization has accomplished in the brief period of three and a half months, the time of Miss Moore's incumbency.

Material relief given in co-operation with local Relief agencies 34 Work found for (Individuals) 9 Families influenced to move into better environments 4 Special efforts resulting in keeping children in school 26 Transportation furnished school children to special rooms 2 Referred cases (Outside the city Lima) 2 Supervision of children now in

family homes 4 In this connection the Field Worker has been instrumental in helping very materially to find suitable occupation among the adult and juvenile blind, many of the latter having been supplied with educational apparatus usually obtainable only in the large Bell, corresponding secretary.

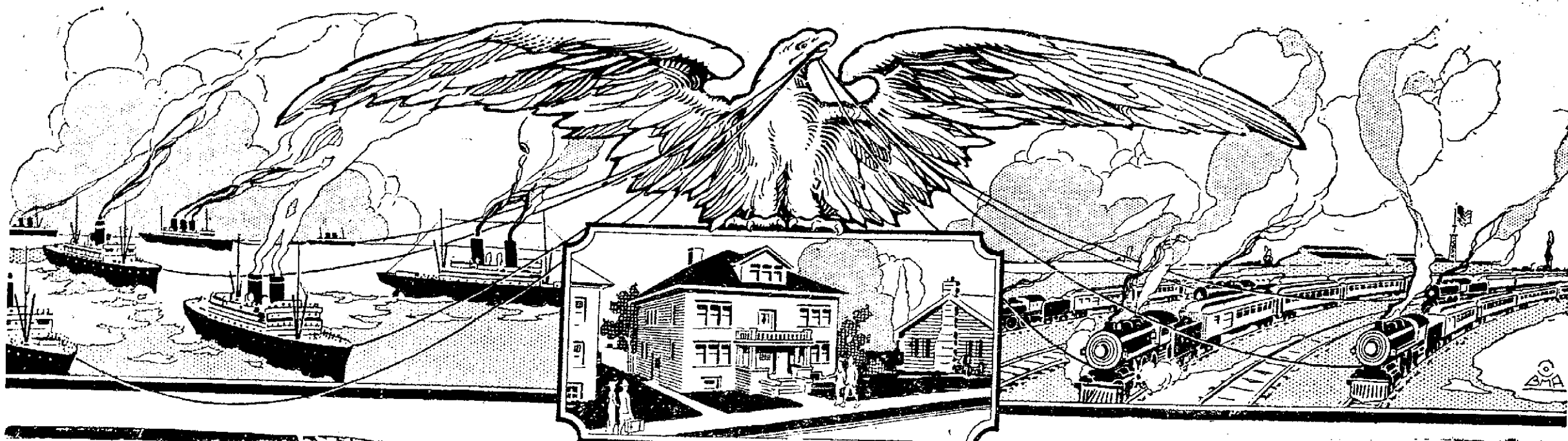
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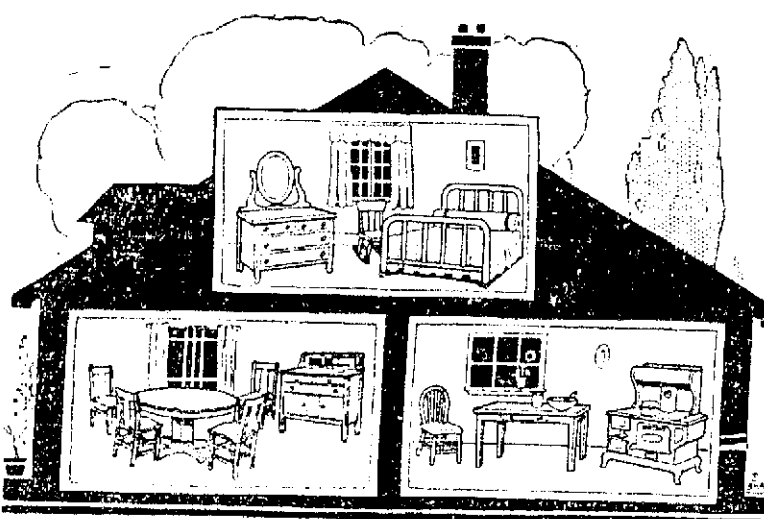


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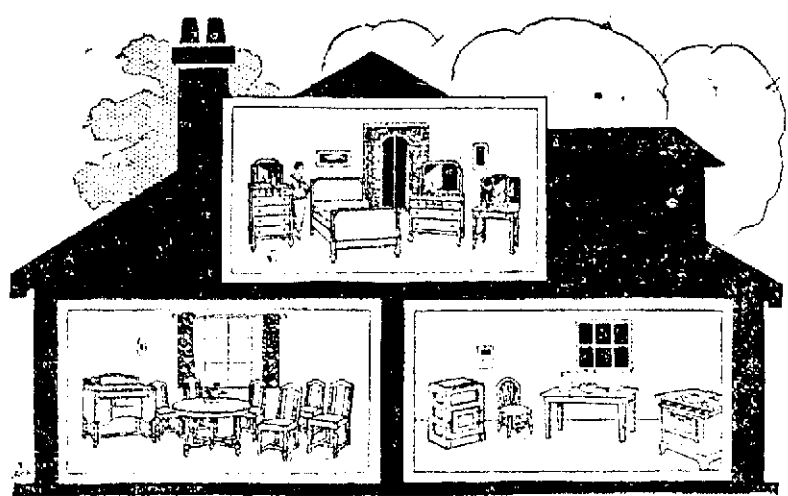
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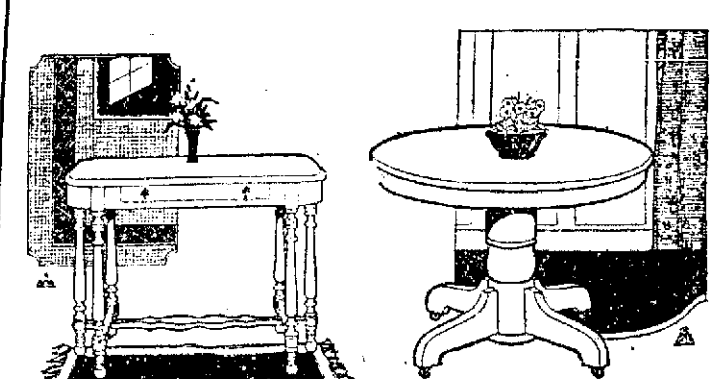


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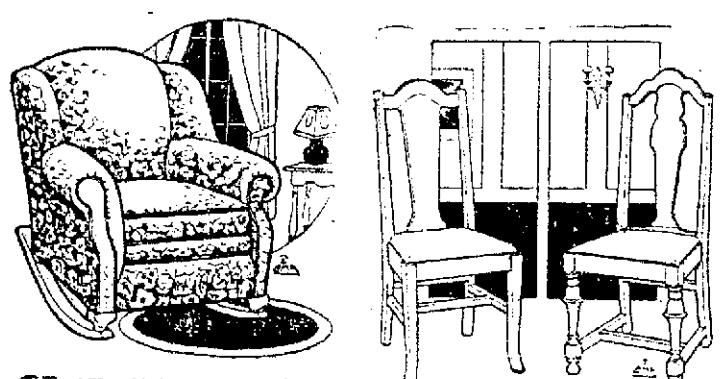
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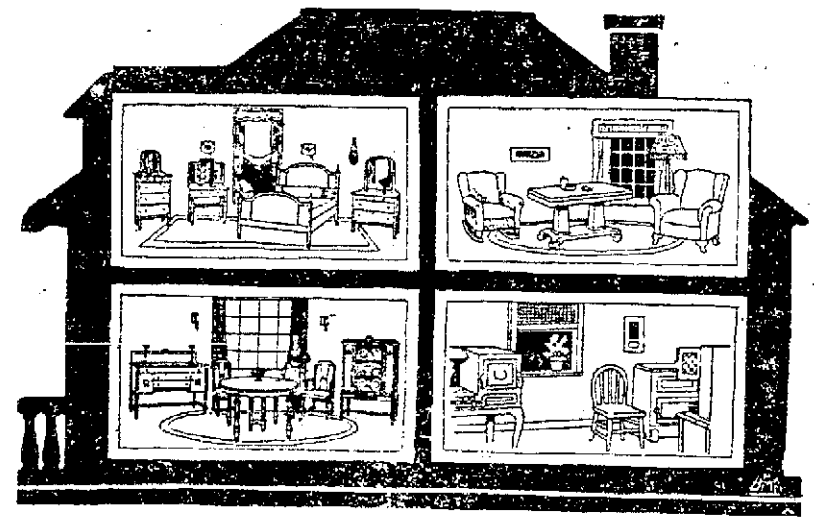
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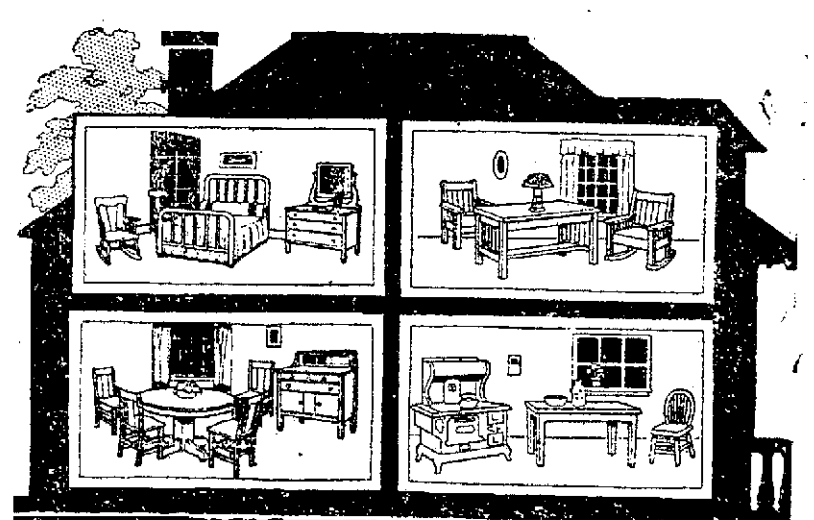
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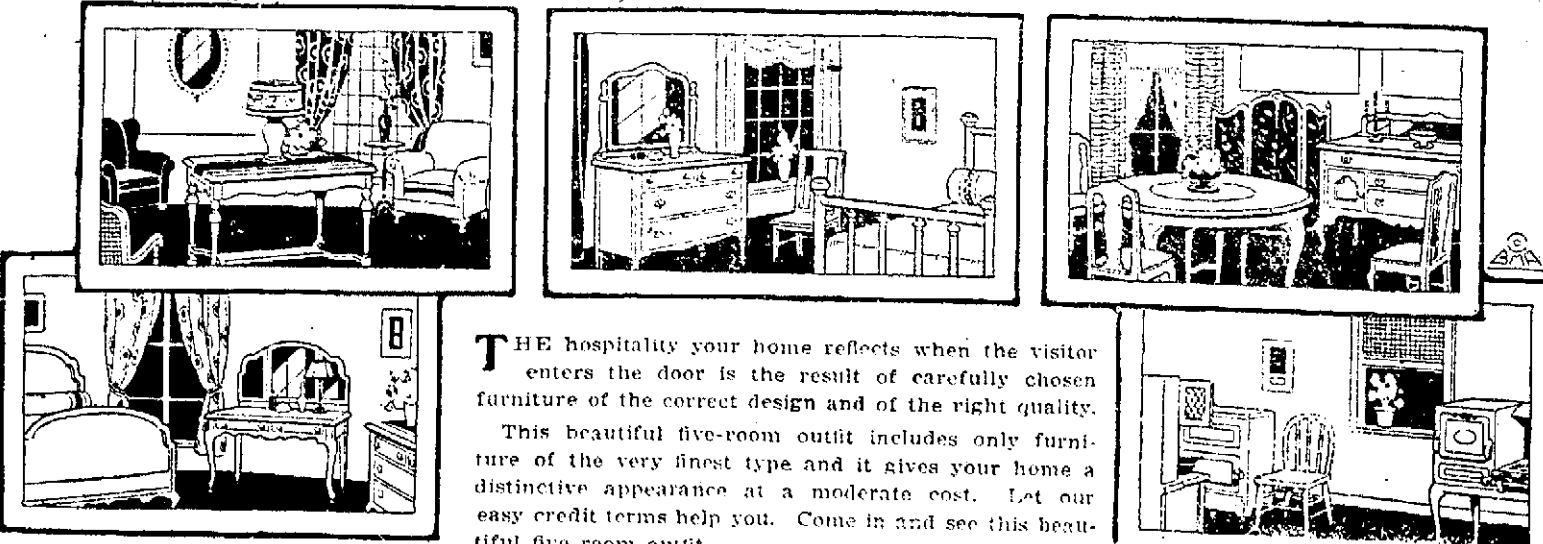
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Lima's city lighting may be decided for ten years at a special meeting of the city council as a committee of the whole Monday night.

The junket to Zanesville has resulted in a fairly good understanding with the Ohio Electric. That company will propose that they will expend \$200,000 immediately on new equipment, and will build within five years either at Indian Lake or Scott's Crossing a power plant to cost approximately \$2,000,000 capable of handling Lima's light and power needs for the next decade.

The street car matter may not be touched upon, but only the lighting contract discussed. New lamps will be substituted for the present antiquated arcs, and boulevard lights will replace the arcs in the downtown-section. According to a councilman President Schoepf wants to go the limit as he recognizes Lima now as one of the big spots on his electric map.

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CHAMPIONS LOSE TO BROWNS

ST. LOUIS—The Browns won their fourth straight Saturday, defeating the champion Red Sox 2 to 1. The score:

Boston 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 3 0

St. Louis 0 0 0 3 0 2 0 0—2 8 1

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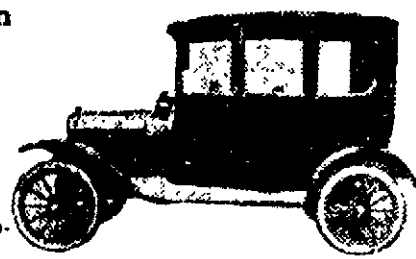
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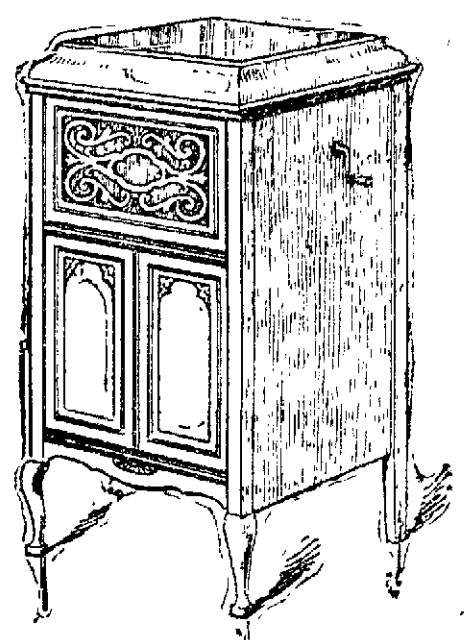
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STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK—The New York Evening Sun's financial review Saturday says:

There was a good volume of trading in Saturday's short session of the stock market and the price undertone was strong without anything particularly sensational appearing on the surface.

Some concession in prices was noted in the second hour and most of the bulls dropped away from the top levels. The shipping issues, in general and the tin-mining in particular were exceptions.

Marine common pushed thru 53 and the preferred thru 123.

NEW YORK—Leading issues registered fractional advances at the stock market opening Saturday. Trading was in good volume. United States Steel closed at 102 1/2, up 1/2; Baldwin 101 1/2, up 1/2; Reading 99 1/2, up 1/2; Marine preferred 119, up 1/2; Southern Pacific 109 1/2, up 1/2; Mexican Petroleum 118 1/2.

United States Steel closed at 102 1/2, off 1/2; Marine common 52 1/2, up 1/2; preferred 123 1/2, up 1/2; Baldwin 101 1/2, off 1/2; American International 94 1/2, up 1/2; Southern Pacific 109 1/2, up 1/2. The market closed strong.

STOCKS	Close
American Can	102 1/2
American Car and Foundry	102 1/2
American Hide	55 1/2
American Lumber	55 1/2
American Smelt and Ref.	70 1/2
American Sugar	100 1/2
Am. Tel. and Telegraph	100 1/2
Anacosta	65 1/2
Atchafalpa	97 1/2
Baldwin	101 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	62 1/2
Bethlehem	78 1/2
Central Leather	51 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	51 1/2
Chino	39 1/2
Columbia Gas	50 1/2
Cumulative Steel	102 1/2
Erie	19 1/2
General Motors	152 1/2
Indiana Steel	55 1/2
Inter Nickel	55 1/2
Kennecott Copper	100 1/2
Int. Mar. Nav. Pk.	102 1/2
Maxwell Motor	41 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	118 1/2
Midvale Steel	45 1/2
Navajo Copper	17 1/2
New York Central	81 1/2
New Haven	37 1/2
Norfolk and Western	102 1/2
Northern Pacific	102 1/2
Ohio Cities Gas	47 1/2
Pennsylvania	47 1/2
Railway Steel Springs	47 1/2
Reading	99 1/2
Southern Ry.	53 1/2
Standard Oil	64 1/2
Standard Steel	52 1/2
Texas Oil	41 1/2
Tobacco Products	84 1/2
Union Pacific	100 1/2
U. S. Steel	102 1/2
Utah Copper	102 1/2
Westinghouse	53 1/2
Willamette	21 1/2

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES	Reported by E. W. Wagner and Co., Holland Block, Lima, Ohio.
Atlantic Refining Co.	121 1/2
Cumberland Pipe	22 1/2
Illinois Pipe	18 1/2
Ohio Oil Co.	20 1/2
Piercy Oil Co.	20 1/2
Porter Oil and Gas	17 1/2
Porter Pipe Line	21 1/2
South Penn. Oil Co.	20 1/2
Standard Oil Co. (Ind.)	20 1/2
Standard Oil Co. (N. Y.)	20 1/2
Standard Oil Co. (Ohio)	20 1/2

CURB STOCKS	Close
Midwest Ref.	150 1/2
Midwest Oil	21 1/2

CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK MARKET	Receipts
Hogs	1,500; market strong
Sheep	100; market strong
Cattle	100; market strong
Calves	100; market strong
Steady	top 10 1/2

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LIMA MARKETS

WHOLESALE PRODUCE	Close
CHEESE	
Long Horn	34 1/2
Prints	35 1/2
Daisies	35 1/2
Twin Flats	34 1/2
New York Flats	35 1/2
Brick	35 1/2
New York Limburger	23
Block Swiss	46
BUTTER	
Brookfield Creamery 1 lb prints	50
Brookfield Creamery, tubs	53
BUTTERING	
Premium 1 lb. cartons, nat. col.	55
Challenge 1 lb. rolls, nat. col.	55
Lincoln 1 lb. rolls, nat. col.	55
Stowflake 1 lb. cartons, white	55
Gen. Nat. 1 lb. cartons	55
Bakers' Patry 20 lb. tubs	50
Bakers' tubs	50
Appache, tubs	50
EGGS	
Fresh, case count	45
Frozen mixed eggs, 10 lb. cans	45
Frozen egg whites, 30 lb. cans	45
Trade EGGS	45
POULTRY	
Milk Feed Roasting Chickens	40
Milk Feed Fryers	40
Milk Feed Broilers 2 lb. avg.	40
Milk Feed Broilers 2 lb. avg.	40
Poultry, heavy	45
Poultry, light	45
No. 1 Young Tom Turkeys	45

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO—A suggestion of Julius Barnes, president of the United States Grain Corporation, to limit speculation by grain traders combined with reports of good weather, lowered grain futures on the Chicago board of trade Saturday.

Large holders of grain became uneasy after Barnes' statement was made public and liquidation followed. Free offerings by farmers also acted as a depressing factor. Transactions dropped with grain.

May corn opened late at 1 1/2, down 1 and closed at 1 1/2. July corn opened down at 1 1/2 and in later trading lost 1 1/2. September corn opened at 1 1/2, down 1/2, and fell to 1 1/2.

May oats opened down 1/2 at 57 1/2 and in subsequent trading dropped 1/2. July oats opened down 1/2 at 57 1/2 and closed at 55 1/2. September oats opened at 63 1/2 and at the close was down 1/2.

GRAIN	Open	Close
May	1 1/2	1 1/2
July	1 1/2	1 1/2
Sept.	1 1/2	1 1/2
OATS		
May	57 1/2	57 1/2
July	57 1/2	57 1/2
Sept.	63 1/2	63 1/2

LIBERTY BONDS	First	Second	Third	Fourth
3 1/2's	95.50	95.50	95.50	95.50
4's	94.20	94.20	94.20	94.20
4 1/2's	95.50	95.50	95.50	95.50
5's	95.50	95.50	95.50	95.50

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK	Receipts
Cattle	1,500; market steady
Sheep	1,500; market steady
Hogs	1,500; market steady
Calves	1,500; market steady
Stags	1,500; market steady

TOLEDO GRAIN MARKET	Close
Yellow 1 1/2	1 1/2
White 1 1/2	1 1/2
Barley 1 1/2	1 1/2
Oats 1 1/2	1 1/2
Wheat 1 1/2	1 1/2

UNION STOCK YARDS	Receipts
Hogs	1,500; market steady
Sheep	1,500; market steady
Cattle	1,500; market steady
Calves	1,500; market steady
Stags	1,500; market steady

NEW YORK PRODUCE	Close
Live poultry	150 1/2
Butter	150 1/2
Eggs	150 1/2
Flour	150 1/2
Wheat	150 1/2

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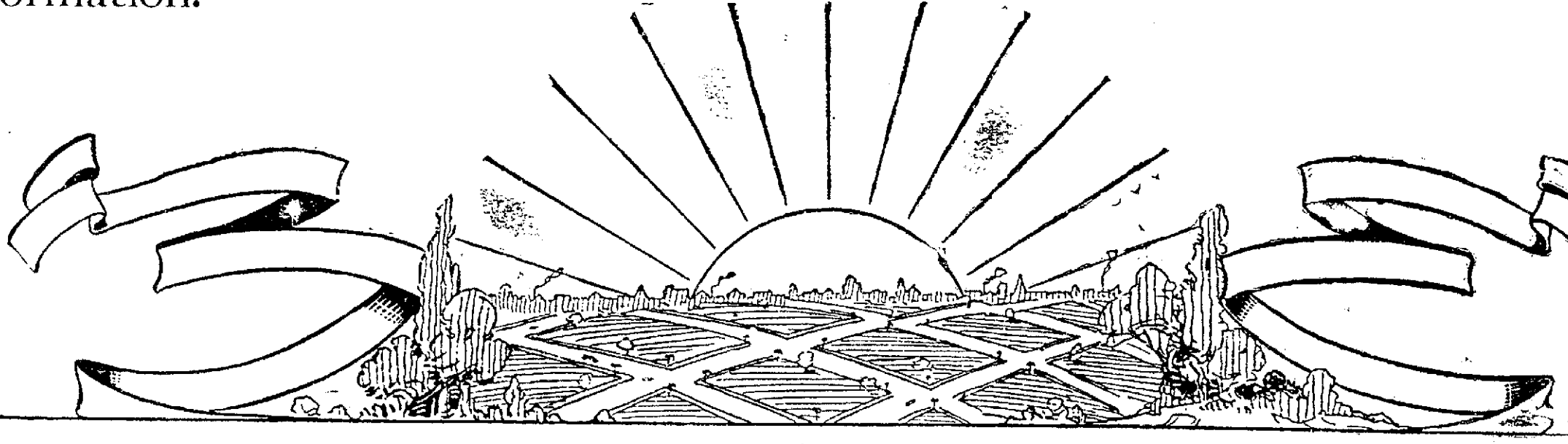
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LABOR AND BEER

WHEN YOU INVADE A MAN'S HABITS WHAT HAPPENS?

By Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor

Gompers went to work when he was eleven years old. With the wolf at his own door he went out to toil for the betterment of the masses. Yet Capital found him a fair and helpful friend. Those who spoke of him in the bitterest terms have seen him in a new light since his stupendous service to America and the Allies in the hour of need.

I am not an advocate of drinking. I am not an advocate of wine drinking, or even of beer drinking.

Yet I am an anti-prohibitionist. Not an anti-prohibitionist of mere mushroom growth, but one opposed to prohibition, steadfastly and in principle, for more than forty years. And still I think I may honestly say that I have done as much as most men, and much more than many men, in furtherance of the cause of temperance.

And it is a worker for temperance—for the right and true temperance—that I wish to say that I consider the fostering of prohibition upon this country against the palpable wish of the large mass of the people, to be, in times like these, worse than a crime; it is a blunder. And moreover, a blunder charged with danger and loaded with disastrous probabilities.

The world today lies torn and tortured and tempest-tossed. All peoples of the earth have been upset and unsettled. The minds of men are excited and unstrung. Subtle, or open, discontent exists throughout the earth. From the bloody Bolshevism of Russia to the economic unrest of the still stable countries, it is there for the least observing to see and the most unthinking to recognize.

It is a singularly unfortunate moment to upset further a country by an invasion of personal liberty and a famous attempt to recognize, by force, the daily habits of its citizens. They very fact that in some cases these habits are harmful is, of course, not sufficient excuse for the autocratic rule that attempts to control the daily lives of those in whom such habits are without harm.

This is no attempt, as it is no time, to deal radically with the evils of drink. They exist, and they should be corrected. But to rescue the few and bring disaster to the many is a policy too fatuous to admit of discussion. A general on the battlefield does not turn all his soldiers into stretcherbearers. He wins the battle first and aids the wounded afterward.

That is precisely the condition that confronts us in this country today. To save a comparatively small number of people from over-indulgence in an evil habit we are taking a chance of wrecking the social and economic fabric of the nation. It is just as futile as it would be to save the people in the sick-bay of a torpedoed ship and let all the rest of the crew and passengers drown! Wine and Beer in General Use Throughout Europe.

In Italy and in France and in the

Balkan countries wine is plentiful and water is scarce. In the lands of middle Europe beer is always available and water hard to get. In this country great number of immigrants from those land—great numbers of the descendants of those immigrants—have all their lives been accustomed to the quite legitimate and necessary use of light wines and beer. To them, beer or wine has become as much a part of a meal as bread or meat or potatoes.

They are no drunkards. They use their beer and light wines as sensibly, and no more harmfully, than do most of us use tea or coffee.

To stop them, deliberately and by force, from the use of their beer and wine, is as unjust as it would be for a crowd of vegetarians to get together and pass a law to stop you and me from eating meat.

An it is sure to have upon them the same effect. They are voters. And yet they have no voice in the passage of this law.

They are American citizens. And yet, because they have delegated their rights to certain elected officials, those officials have acted as they saw fit against the obvious wishes of their constituents.

Is this democracy?

That is what their question will be.

And what will be the answer?

At first, wonderment. If they are citizens and have a voice in the government of the country, why is their voice unheeded? Their voice is in a majority. That they know. Where there is a chirp for prohibition, there is a howl against it.

Has Congress Erred?

If experience demonstrates that Congress has erred in the enactment of a measure it is within the power of a majority in a subsequent Congress to rectify it; but no matter how disastrous the constitutional prohibition amendment may prove to be, thirteen states with a population of ten millions can prevent the thirty-five other states with a population of over ninety millions from correcting the wrong.

It is an open flaw in our system of government.

In this instance, it is not the will of the many that prevails. It is the power of the few!

What then?

Resentment.

I worked in a factory for twenty-six years with my shop mates and I know what I am talking about. The lunch that a laboring man takes with him to his work by noon becomes nearly dried out. By chipping in with several others, he can procure a small amount of beer with which to wash it down and make it palatable. After which he sits and reads for the balance of the hour.

And in the evening, perhaps a pitcher of beer with his supper.

It is his habit. It rests him and relaxes him.

It is his habit. It is plebeian, perhaps. But it is also plebeian to dig ditches.

It is not a question of right or

wrong. It is not a question of whether we approve or disapprove of beer drinking. It is his habit.

And when you invade a man's habits, what happens?

You upset that man. You unsettle him. Uprooting one habit uproots others. And you find that the man who was heretofore satisfied to labor as he had been laboring, to go home nights and talk or read, becomes restive and discontented. Instead of sitting down to rest and read, he restlessly goes out into the street.

There he meets other men, restless and unsettled, like himself. And in the rubbing together of their mutual grievances, there are sparks, and sometimes fire.

I have heard it stated, and I believe it, that the birth of the Bolshevik was in prohibition. Harmful as vodka was, it enabled the Russian peasant to find succor from the dull monotony of his life. Without it, he found only trouble and torment and the desire to tear down that which he cannot rebuild. And today Russia lies bleeding, tortured.

It was too big a price to pay.

It is time for all of us to recognize the fact that a thing like prohibition cannot be attained by executive decree. It cannot be pounded, with heavy hand, from the top downward. It must, like democracy, flow from the bottom upward.

Total abstinence, like law and order and government, is a gradual growth born of the desire, first, of individuals, then of peoples, to grow. It is futile for the few to try to tell the many what they must not do, as it is sometimes equally futile for the many to try to tell the few when such commands are too drastic or too great an invasion upon the manhood and liberties of those who are commanded.

Upon so small a thing as taxation without representation did the tiny colonies defy their mighty parent.

Labor Has Aided the Cause of Temperance

Before you can make prohibition honestly and honorably effective, you must have the desire of the people themselves to totally abstain.

This, palpably, you have not. Else would the Prohibition party have been something more than an also-ran in every election the country has ever held.

The labor movement, by its efforts to secure the eight-hour work day, by securing higher wages and improved conditions of living, has been instrumental in making the workers more temperate. There are more non-drinking union workmen in the United States today than I have ever known in all my life, and the number of total abstainers is growing.

But it is with these men a voluntary act, and I know of no men who are such militant anti-prohibitionists as are the total-abstaining active union men in America.

Organized labor has been fighting

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THE FAMOUS VAMPIRE AS SALOME



THEDA BARA, the most famous of all vampires comes to the Empire and Majestic Tuesday and Wednesday playing in the wonderful production of "Salome."

About the Ligoff Nations and the Covenants in Particular

By VICTOR KIRALY

Lieutenant Commander Peary discovered the blond-haired and blue-eyed Eskimo, the late lamented Theodore Roosevelt the Unknown River of South America, and George T. Lanning, in a poetic mood, gave existence to the Swatish National with the Ahkond of Swat as its mythical ruler, but it fell to the lot of our own beloved Peace and War Resident, Mr. Woodrow Wilson, to discover the Ligoff Nations.

The Ligoff nations are not all-Russian as their slavish nomenclature would indicate, far from it; the historic Gauls, the descendants of the Old Romans, the Anglo-Saxons, slithered Asiatics, etc. are represented, not to forget Flemish tribes. Amongst the newer units are the Jugos, the resuscitated Poles, the Slovaks, etc. Best known in America are the Covenants, a sturdy little nation of seafaring men, who, on President Wilson's recent return to the United States, braved the elements and took ship with him on the good George Washington, a steam-propelled Viking of teutonic construction, captured in Hoboken some time ago by Uncle Sam. Mr. Wilson took all the

Covenants with him to Washington, D. C. showed them the Potomac River, then the sights of New York, also the diamond horse-shoe by introducing them to a great big audience at the Metropolitan Opera House, and the same evening took them back with him to Paris for repairs after all the excitement. The Covenants found some friends in America, not so many after all, for antagonism had been shown them by some senator, I think Lodge is the name of one of them. Having taken personal charge of and a special in the tribe of the Covenants, he, with the assistance of European statesmen, is busily engaged just now dressing them up properly for a glorious and victorious return to our glorious and victorious United States. And, with an eye for excitement and the observation of human emotions, F. Ziefeld, Jr., has reserved the entire floor of the New Amsterdam Theatre Roof for June 20th, for the entertainment of this brave little people—should they return. He wishes to show them the transformation, over night, of this country into a vast desert, more spacious than Sahara.

BUILDING BOOST SEEN IN RETURN OF 'OPEN' MARKET

Architects Think Failure to Fix Steel Prices Will Aid Construction

WASHINGTON—Declaring that inasmuch as the Industries Board has failed in its attempt to stabilize the price of steel and in all probability there will be no further effort by the Government to fix the price on other building materials, architects and builders this week expressed the opinion that with a return to an "open" market and the revival of the law of supply and demand construction is now ready to be speeded up with an impetus the like of which has not been seen in years, says THE AMERICAN ARCHITECT. They feel that this indicates manufacturers must get what they may for their commodities. Whether purchasers will have to pay higher prices than they would if the Government's effort in fixing a temporary schedule of values had been successful, remains to be seen.

It is generally believed in architectural and building circles that in a large percentage of materials, prices cannot recede without a reduction in wages. It is not probable that lenders in industry will consent to a wage cut at the present time. In the steel market, where factories are working at approximately 60 percent of capacity, the Railroad Administration's call for bids on 200,000 tons of rails to supply approximately 10 percent of an estimated demand, is the first indication of large orders that are to follow. The building industry is closely watching developments in this phase of the situation, and what an "open" market, with the removal of Federal restraint, will accomplish. It is expected it will make a very active construction market.

In all branches of the building material industries conditions during the week have developed a marked improvement. All clay products, as well as manufactured goods in metals are in better demand with wholesalers and dealers busy with orders for immediate delivery. Lumber is moving from the yards to the contractors in exceptionally large volume.

A feature of the market is in the announcement of building permits issued during the week. The permits show the contemplative builders are becoming more and more convinced of ultimate stabilization of prices and are going ahead with speculative projects.

Churches, theaters and apartments took the lead in the new construction work reported from the offices of architects this week.

There is a tendency downward on neat cement, lime, and hollow tile prices. All common brick remains firm at \$15 per thousand wholesale, with some grades at a slightly higher level. Leading building brick dis-

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SAMUEL GOMPERS

WEEK ON GREAT WHITE WAY SAW OLD PLAYS END

New Enterprises Despite the Fact that Season is Drawing to Close

REVIEW OF THE RIALTO

New Fad on Broadway is for Something Dark Such as Belasco's Rosaleen

NEW YORK (Along Broadway)—Last week saw the departure of many plays. Of the plays "Moliere," "The Unknown Purple," "Cappy Ricks," "A Prince Thers Was," "Bonds of Interest," and the unhappy Spanish company at the Park theatre, have folded their curtains and faded from Rialto view. Instead we have some exchanges which promise to prove fair, notably "Pretty Soft," at the Morosco, "The Lady in Red," at the Liberty and "John Ferguson," at the Garrick.

The new plays added to the Broadway group last week included a timely and fanciful musical comedy, "She's a Good Fellow," which possesses melodic merit and exhibits a clever cast of players which includes Joseph Santley, James C. Marlowe, Alexander Clark, Scott Welsh, Jay Wilson, Ivy Sawyer, Ann Orr and others, whom Charles B. Dillingham has assembled to occupy his theater for the summer months. And measured by the average summer standard it fulfills every promise. It is not up to Mr. Dillingham's previous standards, however Jerome Kern has done his music better than Anna Caldwell has done her book.

"Too Sweet" is interesting, more because it is new, novel, original and possesses a sentimental interest rather than in any inherent merit. It is an overseas revue with some titling music by Richard A. Whiting and lyrics by Raymond B. Egan.

The book, according to the program, is by "everybody," and he and she and they were eminently successful. The members of the company are from the American stage, men and women who have just returned from "over there," where they went as entertainers, chief among them

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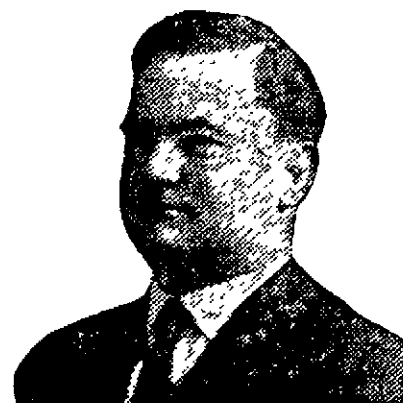
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being Elizabeth Brice, Will Morrissey, Lon Hascall and Clarence Nordstrom. It is highly suggestive of the primitive methods of staging "fit up" shows near the firing line, and with the good nature pervading the work of the company and the hearty response of the audience, it is quite acceptable for what it proposes to represent.

The announcement is made this week by Richard G. Herndon and his associate, Frank Taylor Kintzing, that in addition to the regular French theatre in New York a new Theatre Parisien will be opened at the Belmont theatre early in the fall with Robert Casadesu as the art director. This new theatre will be devoted to the lighter form of French entertainment, transplanting the French atmosphere with French artists. Nothing of the kind has been attempted in this country before, and the promoters promise that it will catch and sustain the French atmosphere in its most amusing and frivolous moods. Music, light plays, chansons characteristic of the Montmartre section and the wit and spontaneity of French light entertainers are incorporated in the idea.

"Oh, Boy," after two solid years of activity and success, was brought to a close last week and the members of the company responsible for this success have entered other fields of activity. Charles Compton, the leading man of the company, has delved deep into vaudeville in a clever sketch in which he is winning added laurels.

Grace George and William A. Brady, the latter Miss George's husband and manager, sailed last week for London for some new plays. Miss George will open the New York season in "The Ruined Lady," which was successfully tried last week with Jesse Bonstelle and Paul Gordon.

"Dark Rosaleen," David Belasco's latest success at the theater bearing his name, was one of the surprise hits of the season. It was written in collaboration by Whitford Kane, the Irish actor, and is, of course, strongly Gaelic in character.

George Broadhurst is presenting "A Crimson Alibi" this week in Baltimore as the first of his new crop of plays. Bertha Mann and Blanche Yurka are two of the best



SCENE IN "THE BAR SINISTER" AT THE ROYAL TODAY AND TOMORROW.

young dramatic actresses we have and are in this cast. "The Storm," by Langdon McCormick, goes into rehearsal this week under Mr. Broadhurst's direction. Both will open in New York early in September.

Theatre Calendar

EMPIRE—Sunday and Monday, William Farnum in "The Jungle Trail," Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Theda Bara in "Salome," Friday and Saturday, Bert Lytell in "Blackie's Redemption" also Ruth Roland in episode No. 2 "The Tiger's Trail."

MAJESTIC—Sunday and Monday, Virginia Pearson in "Queen of Hearts," Tuesday and Wednesday, Theda Bara in "Salome," Thursday, May Allison in "Social Hypocrites" also Pearl White in "The Lightning Raider," Friday, Hale Hamilton in "Johnny on the Spot," also "The Man of Might," Saturday, Emily Stevens in "A Man's World," also "The Man of Might."

STAR—Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Alice Joyce in "The Lion and the Mouse."

the Mouse." Wednesday, Norma Talmadge in "The Law of Compensation," Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Martin Johnston's "Cannibals of the South Seas" also Charlie Chaplin in "Shoulder Arms," FAUROT—Sunday and Monday, William S. Hart in "Branding Broadway," Tuesday and Wednesday Vivian Martin in "Jane Goes A-Wooing," Friday and Saturday, Ethel Clayton in "The Mystery Girl," LYRIC—Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, "Common Clay," Thursday Friday and Saturday, Mabel Normand in "A Perfect 36," ROYAL—Sunday and Monday, "The Bar Sinister," Tuesday and Wednesday, Jane Grey in "When My Ship Comes In," Thursday and Friday, Crane Wilbur in "Blood of His Fathers," STRAND—Sunday "The Ambassador's Diamonds" also episode No. 3 "The Hand of Vengeance" and Tom Mix in "The Sheriff's Reward," Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Marguerite Snow in "The Slave Mart," DREAMLAND—Sunday and Monday, Anna Little and Jack Richardson in "Wanted," Tuesday and Wednesday, "Man of Might."

Motion Pictures

A clever girl, wielding only a trenchant pen, breaks the will of the most powerful financial genius in the world, saves her own father from unmerited disgrace and wins his only son for herself, in "The Lion and the Mouse," the Vitaphone super-feature, which will be seen in the Star Theater today. Alice Joyce has the featured role of Shirley Rossmore in this screen adaptation of the famous stage success of the same name, written by the late Charles Klein.

The picture was produced under the personal supervision of Albert E. Smith, president of Vitaphone, and was directed at Vitaphone's Brooklyn studio, under the direction

of Tom Terris. In the supporting cast are Conrad Nagel, Anders Randolf, Henry Hallam, T. W. Carlton, Mona Kingsley, Jane Jennings, Templer Saxe, W. H. Burton, and Mary Carr. Shirley's father is a Federal judge who issues a "ruinous" injunction against a railway of which John Burkett Ryder is the head. He makes use of the fact that years before the judge had accepted from him 20,000 shares of mining stock with the understanding they were bonus given all original stockholders, to bring impeachment proceedings against him.

A HOFFMAN-FOURSQUARE PICTURE

EDGAR LEWIS' First Production Since "The Barrier."

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A Story of the Modern South. Scenario by Anthony P. Kelly.

"BEFORE GOD I SWEAR BELLE IS WHITE"

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Telling the strongly dramatic story of a girl who mistakenly thinks she has colored blood in her veins and therefore she must deny herself the love of a man who adores her, this powerful photo-play is a production of unique merit and remarkable interest. It treats a delicate subject compassionately yet boldly and is dedicated to a noble purpose.

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"WHEN MY SHIP COMES IN"

Thursday
and Friday

CRANE WILBUR

IN THE GREAT STAGE SUCCESS

"BLOOD OF HIS FATHERS"



SUNDAY
and
MONDAY

VIRGINIA PEARSON

QUEEN OF HEARTS AND COMEDY

COMING TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

THEDA BARA in "SALOME"

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"THE LION AND THE MOUSE"

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BROUGHT TO KNEES
BY LITTLE MOUSE
WHO DEFIED
HIS POWER

GIRL'S FIGHT
FOR
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OVER MAN'S MIGHT
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Johnson's
Cannibals
OF THE
South Seas

A Smashing Spectacle of
The Savage as He Exists
Today



TAKEN AT THE RISK OF LIFE

CANNIBALISM is supposed to be a thing of the past, nevertheless a short time before our visit to the island, this ship was blown ashore. The natives of the neighboring islands told us of columns of smoke arising, signs of feasting, and the ship's crew of eight men have strangely disappeared. Cannibalism is by no means dead.

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"SHOULDER
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ings in the senate against the judge.

In Ryder's private safe are letters from her father which prove his innocence and the plot centers about the finally successful efforts of Shirley, through a novel she writes, to obtain access to the safe to get the letters and thus force Ryder to call off the impeachment trial. She is aided by Ryder's only son, who is in love with Shirley, but who is forbidden under threat of disinheritance even to communicate with her.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Martin Johnson's "Cannibals of the South Seas" will be the attraction at the Star.

Mr. Martin Johnson, who accompanied Jack London on the famous voyage of the "Snark," is a man of adventure. Accompanied by his wife, he went into the Islands of the South Seas, inhabited by tribes of cannibals, to make motion pictures of them and their habits. The product of his adventure is a series of interesting and at the same time thrilling pictures. To witness white persons in close contact with cannibals and other natives of the South Sea Islands is indeed an opportunity that should be availed of. No pictures of travel could be more interesting. In addition to this production, Charlie Chaplin will be seen in his second million dollar comedy, "Shoulder Arms."

MAJESTIC—Believing that he caused the death of her father, a conscience-stricken young man is known to have made a complete confession to the girl he was engaged to marry. While holding a loaded revolver he had discharged the weapon accidentally. The bullet passed through a door behind which the girl's parent was seated.

When the latter's dead body was found later, the daughter vowed to hunt down the one who had fired the fatal shot. When the chain of evidence reached to her fiancé the young woman questioned him, and he thereupon unburdened himself of his secret. Was he really the per-

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Featuring
Margaret
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FANNIE WARD IN COMMON CLAY AT THE LYRIC SUNDAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

son who shot the girl's father? For the unexpected sequel, go to see "Queen of Hearts" at the Majestic Theatre Sunday and Monday.

LYRIC—Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, "Common Clay." The story of the A. H. Woods play is familiar to most theatergoers. It shows the uneventful, dreary life led by Ellen Neal, a poor shop girl. She accompanies Jennie and young Coakley to Bender's dance hall, where later she is given an engagement as a singer. Being the innocent victim of a raid, she imagines herself disgraced. A society finds employment for her as maid in the home of the Fullertons. There she again meets Coakley who attempts to expose her to Hugh Fullerton. Hugh is in love with Ellen and she returns his love. He leaves for France and a baby is born. Employing a lawyer she attempts to secure the comforts denied her for her son. The famous trial scene of the play is shown and Fullerton's lawyer proves to be Ellen's own father. A subtitle explains that Hugh and Ellen were secretly married prior to his leaving for the war and there is a happy ending.

AT THE STRAND—The third of "The Hand of Vengeance" stories will be the main attraction at the Strand today. "The Ambassador's Diamonds" as this is called, shows the clever manner in which "Ultus," the mystery man, recovers the diamond which Townsend had been warned would be stolen from him. In this episode Townsend not only meets his death, but Ultus has a close call in his escape from the police who had been led to his den by a traitor. The Tom Mix western "The Sheriff's Reward" is quite interesting, while the Mack Sennett comedy "The Love Chase" is amusing.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be shown the famous picture "The Slave Mart," of which much is spoken of in another column.

THE ROYAL—At the Royal today and tomorrow will be offered the great Edgar Lewis production "The Bar Sinister," which is really the best of his creations. Moviegoers will remember his other works, "The Barrier," "The Light at Dusk" and "The Bondsman," and will no doubt appreciate this star problem play which is confronting humanity at the present time. We find the yellow race clamoring for recognition on the Western coast and taking advantage of the peace conference to further their claims. In fact, we find every creed and race trying to gain racial supremacy, or at least equality. In "The Bar Sinister" this eight reel treatise will stand as a land-



SCENE FROM "THE SLAVE MART" AT THE STRAND FOR THREE DAYS STARTING MONDAY.

of Maria Granada, a beautiful Italian immigrant, at Ellis Island, where she is to be met by her aunt Loretta. A band of human vultures, always on the lookout for innocent and unsuspecting prey, approach her, and under the guise of friends of her aunt's, entice her away. Jack Spaulding, a society man, passing in his car, notes the strange actions of this ill-assorted party, and follows. He rescues the girl from her perilous position, and returns with her to the Italian Immigrant Society, where she meets her aunt.

A few days later Jack is waylaid by members of the band, but is rescued by Maria and her aunt, who are now earning a livelihood by playing the hand organ. Some time later a chance meeting brings Jack and Maria together again, and after introducing her to his mother, they induce her to make her home with them.

Jack's mother and sister, Dorothy, leave for the seashore, and plan to have Jack and Maria join them next day. That evening Jack declares his love to Maria, and she responds to his fervent appeal. The same night Jack takes her to a cabaret show, where they see a novelty act entitled "Zuleika, the Odalisque, in the Slave Mart." This performance makes a

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TODAY AND MONDAY

"ANNA LITTLE & Jack Richardson

IN WESTERN HIT

'Wanted'

Also TWEDE DAN in
"HE WINS"

And Two Other Reels.

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY **Man of Might**

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TODAY

"The Ambassador's Diamonds"
No. 3 OF THE
"HAND OF VENGEANCE"

TOM MIX

IN ANOTHER WESTERN

"The Sheriff's Reward"

Also FORD STERLING in
"THE LOVE CHASE"

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"THE JUNGLE TRAIL"

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Maria meets Jack's former sweetheart. She sees their affection growing daily and in a moment of jealousy and despair at Jack's duplicity, resolves on a revenge similar to Zuleika in the Slave Mart—but fate intervenes and the rosy god of love triumphs in the end.

AT DREAMLAND At Dreamland today and tomorrow Anna Little and Jack Richardson will co-star in the Western production "Wanted" and which fairly revels in outdoor thrills and many encounters. The manner in which some of the cowpunchers are brought to bay, will make one wish he were out there with the "wild west." Another of the famous Tweede Dan comedies will be presented in "He Wins" and this shows us some very good racing scenes. Full of laughs and unlooked for surprises, this two reel comedy is very fine. Two other reels complete the bill.

Tuesday and Wednesday the sixth of "The Man of Might" stories will be on the bill with William Duncan poses.

In some more of his wild adventures.

Thursday and Friday Tom Mix in another Western as well as a Vitagraph drama will be screened.

FIGHT ON STREET

A large crowd gathered around the corner of High and Main streets at 11 o'clock Saturday night when an unidentified man was knocked temporarily unconscious by another man. Some young man was talking to some girls and apparently without reason a man in soldier's uniform attacked the first man and knocked him unconscious.

BREWERS MUST CHANGE

COLUMBUS—Secretary of State Smith announced Saturday that brewing and distilling companies wishing to operate after May 27, must amend their articles of incorporation, stating that the purpose is to manufacture alcoholic liquors for industrial and not for beverage purposes.



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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,297,865.79
Overdrafts	2,857.41
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00
U. S. Certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	190,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged	49,400.00
Securities other than U. S. Bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged	71,660.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50% of subscription)	7,200.00
Liquid Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	87,631.15
Cash in vault and not amount due from national banks	244,684.89
Net amount due from other banks, bankers and trust companies	10,286.33
Exchange for clearing house	12,860.57
Checks on other banks and other cash items	10,808.29
Interest earned but not collected—approximately on notes and bills receivable not past due	18,000.00
War Savings Certificates and thrift stamps actually owned	820.40
TOTAL	\$2,055,184.40

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus Fund	40,000.00
Undivided profits	\$85,443.81
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	23,410.15
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)	2,400.00
Circulating notes outstanding	42,000.00
Net amounts due to National Banks	1,985.90
Net amounts due to other banks, bankers and trust companies	3,596.68
Certified checks outstanding	2,752.45
Total due to banks	\$ 8,335.03
Demand Deposits (Other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days)	908,070.52
Individual deposits subject to check	15,457.87
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	36.00
Dividends unpaid	923,564.39
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice)	335,774.29
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	439,777.03
Other time deposits	\$775,551.32
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	300.00
Due to U. S. Treasurer	
TOTAL	\$2,055,184.40

State of Ohio, County of Allen, ss.

I, H. O. Jones, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. O. JONES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1919.
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This is the show the "Slave Mart" that is having the longest run in history at the big city theatres all over the country.

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AN OCCUPATION GONE

Maud Muller on a summer's day,
Won't take the meadow sweet with
hay.

Peace hath its hogs, which will get
For good and all, the farmerette.

Those overalls which were so cute
Won't grace the farmer's fair retreat.

For peace with Maud has raised
some hoh,
A returned soldier has her job.

Indiana is going to have a national
home-dry celebration. At last
reports nobody was getting up
any special trains from either coast
to attend it.

President of Vassar says beautiful
girls are sometimes brainy, but
what's the difference if they are
brainy or not, so long as they are
beautiful?

Chet Blinks, the sign painter has
a daughter who paints also, but not
signs. Homertown Gazette

After a Kansas City woman had
informed about forty friends last
Sunday that she was going "to see"
Caruso Monday night, her husband
exclaimed: "Why do you say you're
going to see him? Caruso isn't a
movie show." He is as far as I am
concerned," she replied. "I've heard
him ever since we got the phonograph,
and now I'm going to see him."

At last, the unspeakable Turk is
speechless.

"It is time to demolish our pro-
fanity," screams a Chicago writer.
What? Right now, with the income
tax and the luxury tax and the spring
gardening and golf seasons in full
swing? Oh, now, now is not the time.

Tom Burns was looking at our
office clock the other day. The
real time was 9:20 o'clock, but our
clock said 8:30.

"That clock would be an hour
slow," said Tom, "if it wasn't for the
fact that it is ten minutes fast."

Lima, the Great

THE PAST WEEK has been a wonderful period for the good old town of Lima, U. S. A. Everybody is seemingly optimistic, even people who are temporarily, like Micawber, waiting for something to turn up. Merchants are selling as never before; collections are up to the minute; the building trades are expanding on every hand. Instead of lower prices furniture factories report an anticipated advance of from 10 to 15 per cent by July first, caused by lumber showing firmer indications.

REAL ESTATE MEN are going great guns, and one prominent broker is talking \$700 to \$1,000 per front foot for Elizabeth street property. Better than \$300 per front foot was refused by an owner for Union street frontage during the week. Everything between Metcalf street and the Baltimore & Ohio, and between the Pennsylvania and Hawg creek is considered good by real estate brokers even at "asked" prices.

TRUCK MANUFACTURERS are wearing smiles over a decided increase in inquiries from all parts of the world; and the larger industrialists are hoping for an early adjustment of the railroad question by Congress. Saloonists have accepted their fate for next Saturday night and are already busy getting into other lines or conducting card, billiard and lunch rooms with soft drinks. One large wholesaler will go into the strictly soft-drink game, and another will become a pure food distributor over the county. The boom over the United States is general from ocean to ocean with financiers predicting that actual signing of the peace terms will end the uncertainty which has caused values to sag and business men to be over cautious. It is time to boost from peanuts to business blocks.

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To Our Readers.

ON ANOTHER PAGE of this issue of The Sunday News appears a display advertisement over the name of A. J. Dunn, 601 Savings Building, the last paragraph of which reads as follows:

"As a result of the numerous transactions being daily consummated by A. J. Dunn, a long time lease was recently secured on the Lima Daily News building and ground. The present income from the News building is far below the figure that this property should produce, hence Mr. Dunn, purely as a business proposition, will entertain negotiations for the lease of this property to responsible parties."

THIS ADVERTISEMENT is called to the attention of our readers to correct any belief that The Daily & Sunday News might be going out of business at its present location. The Daily News holds a perfectly good lease made two years ago with the owner of the property. This lease has ten years to run from January 1, 1920.

THE NEWS is advised by its attorneys that this lease, under which this company has operated and has expended over \$30,000 in improvements, is legal and binding upon the present holders of the 99 year lease, and any purchaser of the lease under the conditions should govern themselves accordingly.

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MISS LIMA. "The average business man who loves home-cooking always has business down town at housecleaning time."

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The Flight to London

PRESS REPORTS show that American naval officers have safely negotiated the first and longest leg of the America to England flight overseas. The big naval plane, touching the Azores, more than half-way over, has proven the principle of aircraft building is right and bigger and even faster planes are but a matter of engineering.

JUST AS THE veteran Haynes in his first automobile was looked upon as a fanatic; so are these over-ocean fliers being so regarded. But like the pioneer motorist, they are paving the way for regular schedules of air-ships which will follow within the next decade, or sooner.

Today's Health Hints

SORTING OVER THE SYMPTOMS

My readers will recall that I have frequently declined to publish symptoms. Do not assume, however, that I consider symptoms of no value. They have great value, for they tell the sufferer that there is something wrong with his health, and, if the symptoms persevere long enough they drive him ultimately to the doctor.

Lightly here, for we tread delicate ground. How will the doctor weigh the symptoms? Will he sort them over and try to fit them to some disease, after the manner of picture puzzle games? Will he look wise and remain anchored in his chair and write a prescription for some new-fangled doctor's

ostium? Will he make the symptoms the material out of which he constructs the diagnosis on which his advice must be based or will he consider the symptoms merely as suggestive of the direction his examination should take? That all depends on the kind of doctor and on his estimation of the class of patient. If he is a good doctor, and if he feels that the patient is willing to buy some of his skill, then he proceeds systematically to follow up the clues presented to him by the patient's chief complaints.

Vague tumors from Europe are not one whit less reliable than symptoms. I recall vividly how, when I had the appendicitis (as I blush to confess) I could not understand, until the day after the operation, why an indulgence in coconut had given me such a prodigious stomachache for once in my well regulated life.

Symptoms are a dangerous thing to monkey with. If you have any do not sort them over more than necessary, but take them to a doctor and see what he will see.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Percolator All Right

Nothing what you have said about the evil effects of coffee that has been going on, I am wondering whether coffee made with a percolator is all right.

ANSWER—Oui, Oui, Beaucoup.

The U. S. Pharmacopoeia is revised every ten years by a committee of representative physicians, pharmacists and chemists. In the last revision medicinal whiskey and brandy (Spiritus Frumenti and Spiritus Vini Gallici) were omitted, as you know, because these alcoholic liquors were no longer deemed medicinally necessary. As none but the retailers can legally determine whether alcoholic liquors possess any medicinal value, it follows that the government has officially, through the Pharmacopoeia, proclaimed that alcoholic liquors have no medicinal value. How then can a physician under the law prescribe alcoholic liquors for medicinal use? Your opinion along this line would be, I am sure, interesting to the reading public.

ANSWER—The U. S. Pharmacopoeia does specify certain standards of purity and strength of various medicinal drugs, and legal standard which all druggists must accept. However, many

the Pharmacopoeia, and a physician is not limited to Pharmacopoeia remedies. Personally, I don't know a doctor today who prescribes whiskey or brandy as a medicine, but the fact that these liquors were omitted from the U. S. Pharmacopoeia would seem to imply that it is sufficient to make it illegal for a doctor to prescribe them for medicinal use.

What Every Young or Old Man or Woman Should Know

Please print in the address of the surgeon to whom I can write for the book pertaining to what every young man should know. (L. T. S.)

ANSWER—I gave no surgeon's address, but the address of the U. S. Public Health Service, 225 First Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. The pamphlets dealing with sex hygiene are as follows: A, for young men; B, for officials and the general public; C, for boys; D, for parents; E, for girls and young women; F, for educators. Send for those for which you have a real use. Most state health departments are supplied with these pamphlets.

ANNUAL CLASS DAY WILL BE HELD AT OLD COLLEGE GROUNDS NEXT FRIDAY

The annual class day for High school students will be held at the college grounds on Friday May 23. A great day is anticipated, as each class have numerous opportunities of showing their skill in all lines of school sports.

Two grades of South Hi will be among the contestants. The feature of the day will be the ball game between Van Wert and the local nine. The Van Wert team looms very great this season, with pitcher Jenkins who is reported to be yet undefeated. Greenland and Young will do the heavy work for the local school.

The day will close with the usual distribution of class ribbons to the lucky contestants.

MANY CHILDREN TO BE CONFIRMED TODAY

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Schrems of Toledo will confirm over 200 children in the three Catholic churches today. Ceremonies will be held at St. Gerard's Church in the morning, St. Johns in the afternoon and St. Rose in the evening. On Sunday afternoon the mission for the women under the Dominican Fathers will close. On Sunday evening a mission will be begun for the men, after the regular confirming takes place. The missionaries will conclude their final work at St. Rose with the final

'HOW MEN MAKE LOVE'

By June Elvidge

THE MOST PROPOSED TO WOMAN IN THE WORLD

THE ARTISTIC LOVER
A wonderfully appealing type is the artistic lover. It is he, and he only, who can make love so that the flowers, the trees, the stars and the heavens are a part of the universe of love with which he surrounds his beloved.

The artistic man brings to his love-making all the beautiful things of life—it is he who can best paint in words the burning thoughts which fill his soul for his loved ones. The artistic type of lover is not necessarily, or even usually an art-

ist. I mean by an artistic lover, one who appreciates and loves the beautiful wherever it may be. A woman who is herself of the artistic type can best appreciate this type of lover. It is only she who can make the future home what her lover-husband can best appreciate.

If you are yourself an artistic girl, you should seek out for your mate the artist type of lover. If not, you had better steer clear of him. He will make love to you anyhow, if he has the chance, but you will be wise to marry some other type.

LABOR AND BEER

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its hardest to maintain the unity of this country. It is a great misfortune that at this time there should have come, welded and ready to wield, so powerful a weapon for the forces of disorder and disunion.

The United States contains people of many nationalities, most of whom are, as I have said, accustomed to the use of beer and light wines. Conceive the opportunity thus giving to agitators, anarchists and the apostles of Bolshevism to go to these people, in their homes, in their factories, in the mills, their mines, their associations, their unions, and say, "Look here. This is what Congress has done to you. It has even taken away your glass of beer!"

It may sound but little to those who are accustomed to comfortable homes, to luxurious hotels. It may sound trivial to those who have never known the use of beer or wine. But to people so accustomed it is a source of constant discontent and never-ending nagging. It irritates and annoys and unsettles. And it puts them in a receptive mood for the deadlier propaganda that will follow.

The "No Beer, No Work" agitation is sure proof of this. It is claimed to be the work of agitators, the I. W. W. or the Bolsheviks.

Well, suppose it is? Who placed in the hands of these agitators the material to work with?

And how are you going to tell whether it is their work or not?

Whether it be the cry of the honest American workman standing on what he deems his constitutional rights, or that of the dishonest agent of anarchy or pro-Germanism trying to foment trouble, doesn't the cry remain the same?

By allowing the opportunity for a cry like this to be heard at a time like this, it looks as though we had unconsciously played into the enemy's hands. That he will use his

opportunity to the full, we can be only unpleasantly sure.

Party Politics Have No Place in Federation of Labor

What is to be done, I do not pretend to say. Party politics, whether they be democratic, republican, socialist, populist, prohibition, or any other, have no place in the conventions of the American Federation of Labor, and yet it is the duty of all to point out the dangers we see and leave for those in power to correct or avert these dangers.

But it would be well for my countrymen to know certain things.

Is the experience of other peoples and other nations to have no lesson for us? Wherever we can lead, lead we must. Where that opportunity is not afforded, the road to wisdom is to profit by the experience of others and for ourselves, to avoid or avert their mistakes.

France and Italy have not even attempted to try prohibition.

England tried drastic limitation with limited hours. But in the face of economic unrest, England has had to increase the strength and quality of its beer.

Russia tried prohibition and found Bolshevism.

In the face of this, does the United States really wish to put into effect as a permanent policy a measure that other countries have found to be unnecessary, impossible or disastrous?

I verily believe it does not. Bound by every tie of principle, hope and aspiration for my country's welfare and progress, associated with the men and women of our country as closely as I am, for the first time in my whole life am I apprehensive for the future.

HELD FOR AUTHORITIES

Harry Williams, 358 south Main street, was arrested Saturday on suspicion of being the man wanted by the officials of the Michigan City penitentiary of Indiana. Williams was arrested on a charge of being a parole violator, by leaving the state of Indiana without reporting his move to the authorities of the state. When arrested, Williams registered his occupation as a line man.

BUILDING BOOST

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tributors have at last come forward into the market at current prices. There have been sharp advances on Italian marbles, this product getting \$8.90 a foot for seconds. Black and gold Italian marble can not be had, but there is a liberal supply of domestic marble in these grades. Lumber prices are not likely to drop for a long time to come. Mills in every section of the country are operating at a loss or barely making expenses. In the North Carolina Pine region the

average cost as shown by report from 33 mills for the month of September was \$27.50 f. o. b. mill. Average selling price was about

REBEKAH NOTICE

There will be a called meeting of the Golden Gate Rebekah lodge day after tomorrow at 2 o'clock to arrangements to attend the funeral of Mrs. Carl Simpson, of West Street.

Phone your classified ads to The News. We will collect them for you. Main 5591.

A MAN who came into our store the other day to select a piece of goods for his spring suit, told us that he had put the question

What Your Tailor?

to a friend whose suit he admired, and his friend directed him to us, saying it was the most satisfactory suit he had ever had.

This is the sort of advertising that has built our business, and made

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We chose a concern that knows that to give real service is must first of all carry a full stock of sizes, so that when you want a Miller Tire in a hurry, you can get it without waiting.

We are impressed especially with their ability to give motorists an expert repair service, and by their reasonable charges.

Before making this selection we canvassed the local field thoroughly. And the Miller agents here are making good with us by making good with you. Are you getting the benefit of what they have to offer?

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Tires

Abe Martin



The woman who used to shy at steppin' in a buggy now has a daughter that'd step on a camel. Dr. Mopps has traded a double mastoid operation for a single seated

IN LIMA CHURCHES TODAY

CHURCHES WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN

Centenary Movement Starts Today—Trinity Already Far Over Top

Today the National Methodist Centenary movement is to be launched in the Methodist churches of the United States to raise subscriptions to the extent of \$115,000,000; \$50,000,000 of which will be used in mission work in this country; \$40,000,000 to foreign missions and \$25,000,000 for the social reconstruction work in the devastated countries of Europe. This is to be paid in five years.

Trinity M. E. church, having organized all its campaign leaders, has completed its drive and has gone over the top \$25,000, the quota being \$75,000. In the Second Street and Grace churches the campaign will be opened at the morning service and in the afternoon canvassing will be done at each home. The Second street M. E. church quota is \$6,225 and Grace M. E. church is \$27,295. This campaign will continue until May 25th but it is expected that the local churches will raise their quotas within a few days.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 533 west Market street. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Main service at 10:45, "Mortals and Immortals." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30 o'clock. Reading room at church open every afternoon except Sunday and legal holidays from 1 until 5 o'clock. This church is a branch of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

Market Street Presbyterian church, corner of West and Market streets. Rev. Knox, pastor. Morning worship at 10:45. Organ Prelude, "Fantasia"—Sjogren; doxology; invocation; hymn 356; responsive reading, 36; Solo, "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears." Flaxington Harker, Mrs. Fred E. Gooding; prayer; offertory Cello solo, "The Swan." Saint-Saens, Dr. E. J. Curtis; offertory prayer; sermon subject, "We Will Not Come Up," hymn, 60; benediction; postlude, "Fugue," Handel.

Because of a mass meeting of all the churches in Lima to be held at Memorial hall at 7:30 p. m. in the interest of the Salvation Army, there will be no evening worship in this church. All of the members of this congregation are urged to attend the meeting.

Second Street M. E. church, A. A. Thomas, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:15 o'clock. Public service at 10:30 o'clock, theme "The Man Who is Poor Yet Rich." The E. L. anniversary service at 7:45 p. m. This is to be the largest anniversary meeting ever held. The Life service pageant will be deeply impressive with music and speeches. May 25th at 10:30 o'clock will be held the Memorial services in honor of the boys who have returned from over there. The G. A. R. women under Mrs. Hall as well as the Girl and Boy Scouts have accepted an invitation to be present.

Meetings at church of the Brethren on Elm street, east of Pine street, are progressing. The messages given each evening by Evangelist J. L. Mahon, of Marion Indiana, are extremely interesting. Subject for Sunday morning, "Our Church Should be a Wrecking Crew." In the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the subject will be "The World Wide Evangelization." The subject in the evening "The Four Mighty Questions." Meeting every evening this week. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

First Reformed church, West and Wayne, T. W. Hoernemann, pastor. Sunday school, F. W. Zeits, Supt. 9 a. m. Morning worship and sermon 10:15 a. m. Sermon theme "The Legacy of Power. Christian Endeavor and Evening services 7 p. m. Prayer Service and Bible Study Thursday evening 7. The Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. T. W. Hoernemann, Tuesday evening. Business meeting of officers and teachers of the Sunday school Thursday evening.

Central Church of Christ, west North street, J. Allen Canby, minister. 9:15 a. m. Bible school. 10:20 morning worship and sermon, topic, "Faithful Unto Death." 6:30 p. m. Junior Intermediate and Senior Christian Endeavor prayer meetings, topic, "Life, the School of God and its Lessons." Ps. 119:1-9, 23-40. The church will unite in the union services at Memorial Hall on Sunday evening at 7:30. Mid-week school of Prayer Thursday 7:30.

Missionary church, Main and Third streets. Revival services continue with good interest every evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Worship at 10:30 a. m. Children's service at 6:15 p. m. Preaching of the Gospel at 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. H. Moon will speak at 3 p. m. Theme, "The saddest words ever uttered." Hear him, Rev. S. Schindler, pastor.

Olivet Presbyterian, Otis Harter, minister. Sunday school 9:15 E. L. Malone, superintendent. Memorial service of the Knights of the Golden Eagle at 10:30. A vesper service will be held by the Young People's society at 4. No evening meeting.

Grace M. E. church, O. P. Hoffmann, pastor. Sabbath school at 9 o'clock. Worship and sermon at 10:45 o'clock. Epworth League and

Class meeting at 6:30 o'clock. Installation of Epworth League cabinet and general prayer service at 7:30 o'clock. Report of canvassing centenary at 8:30 o'clock.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Elizabeth and North streets, John Keeley, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock. It will be conducted by the Rev. O. A. Robertson, of Springfield, in the absence of the pastor, who has been called to Utica, N. Y., because of the death of his brother.

Zion Lutheran church, corner of Wayne and Elizabeth streets, A. K. Boerger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock, followed by main service at 10:30 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Christ Episcopal church, west North and north West streets, Rev. Kirk B. O'Ferrall, rector. 7:30 o'clock, celebration of the Holy Communion. 9:30 o'clock, church school; 10:45, morning prayer with sermon, "Those That are Lost." No afternoon services.

South Side Church of Christ, Bible School at 9 o'clock, followed by main service with sermon, "Thinking and Loving." Baptism service at 2:30 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 o'clock and preaching at 7:30 o'clock, "What God Does for Us." The Christian Endeavor meeting will be conducted by the Students Volunteer Band of Bluffton, O.

Fourth Street Baptist church, 145 west Fourth street, Rev. Leroy McGee, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 followed by preaching at 11 a. m. subject, "Pure Religion." Prayer and Praise service from 7 until 8 o'clock. Preaching at 8 o'clock.

The First Baptist church, High and McDonald streets, Rev. Franklin Stiles, pastor. The Bible school meets at 9:15 followed by morning worship and sermon at 10:30. Vesper

service with a special musical program at 4 o'clock followed by a very interesting Young People's meeting at 5 o'clock. Sermon topics, morning, "The Togetherness of Christianity." Evening, "The Sermon of the Streets."

Trinity Methodist church, corner West and Market street, Walter D. Cole, pastor. Sermon subject at 10:30, "And It Was Now Dark." Sunday school at 9:15. C. V. Stephens, superintendent. Epworth League at 6. Anniversary service and Installation of officers. In the evening we unite with other congregations in a service at Memorial hall in the interest of the Salvation Army.

Epworth M. E. church, corner Bellefontaine and Harrison streets, J. W. Holland, pastor, 918 east Elm street. Sunday school at 9:15, James C. Martin, superintendent. Sermon at 10:30, subject, "The Great Commission." Epworth league at 6:30, subject, "Fellowship, Training and Inspiration, Miss Helen Boseker, leader. Praise service and addresses and reports of Centenary team workers. Prayer meeting Thursday night.

The Christian Army will hold a ten days special service at 419 south Main street, on east side of bridge. Brigadier General Chillis, of Columbus and Col. Simpson will be here Sunday service at 2:30 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock.

Gospel Tabernacle, south Elizabeth street between Eureka and Circular streets, Rev. R. H. Moon, pastor. Bible school at 9:15 o'clock. Preaching service at 10:30 o'clock, subject, "Do All Speak in Tongues." Y. P. society at 6:30 o'clock. Evangelistic service at 7:30 o'clock, subject, "The Movies." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Associated Bible students, Morris Arcade Hall, 219 1-2 north Main street. Bible lecture at 2 p. m. by Mr. G. W. Matthews of Dayton, Ohio

Subject, "The Truth in Spiritism." Bible study at 3:45 p. m. subject, "Ezekiel's Temple."

Immanuel Evangelistic Lutheran church, Missouri synod, corner of Kibby and Jackson street, Rev. Arthur E. Bay, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock, followed by regular service at 10 a. m., subject "My Fault." O. Y. P. S. W. L. Tuesday evening.

First Congregational church. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., Scott Young, Supt. At 10:30 a. m. Rev. E. S. Rothrock, D. D., of Cleveland, Ohio, will occupy the pulpit. Special music. No vesper or evening service.

South Lima Baptist church, Pine and Kibby. Sunday school 9:15 a. m., subject: "Proving Ourselves Christians." This is the first of a series on this subject. Preaching at 7:30 p. m., subject: "Requesting Christ to Leave the City." Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Bethany Lutheran church Spring and Pierce streets, W. C. Spayde, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. will join morning service at 10:30 o'clock. No evening service. The congregation will join in the union service to be held in Memorial Hall Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Merged service of Sunday school and morning worship, beginning at 9:15 and closing at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Message of the American Christian Convention." The congregation will join in the union service at Memorial Hall in the evening. Christian Endeavor societies meet at 6:30 p. m. Baptismal services on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

"GALLANT JUSTICE TO THE WOMEN" ASKED BY WILSON

WASHINGTON—President Wilson hopes Texas in her referendum for suffrage will render "gallant justice to the women," according to a

cablegram made public Saturday by Mrs. Milne Fisher Cunningham, president of the Texas Woman Suffrage Association.

"I am looking forward," the enterlain the confident hope that the president's cable said, "with the men of Texas will by a very great greatest interest to the referendum majority, render gallant justice to of May 24, on woman suffrage, and 'the women of the state.'"

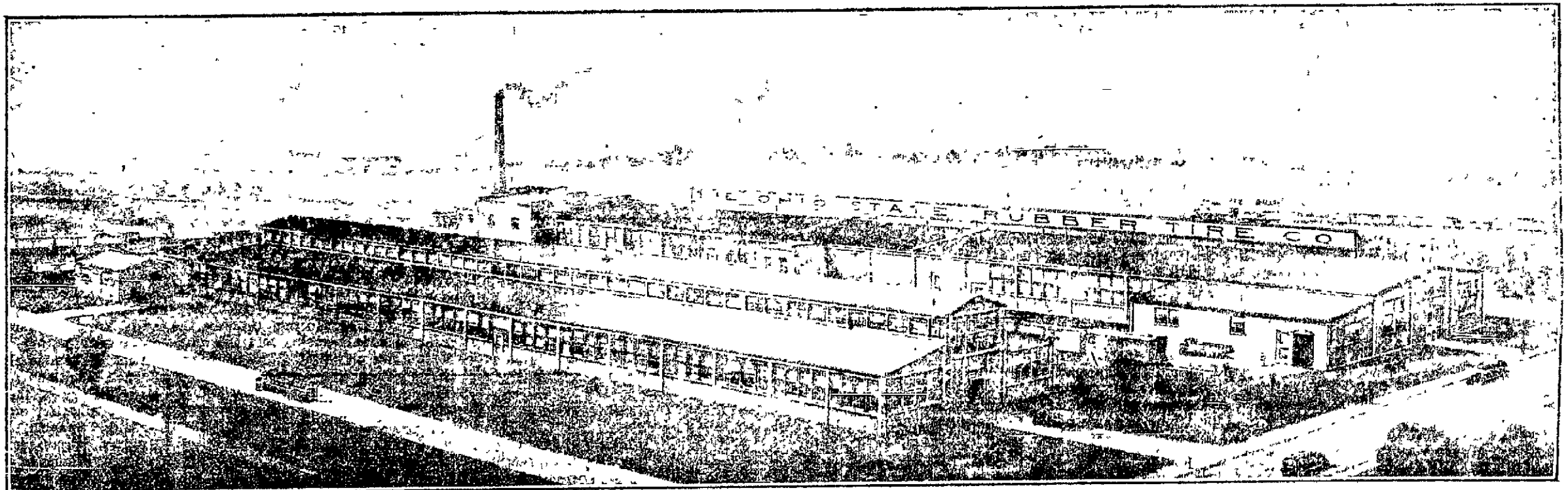
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NEWS FROM NEAR BY TOWNS

OTTAWA

Miss Mary L. Light spent Sunday with Miss Zee Page, in Shelby.

Mrs. Kate Rice and grandson Ward Driscoll, spent Sunday with Wm. Driscoll and wife, in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Burden have welcomed a daughter, who has received the name of Mary Jane.

Among the guests from out-of-town at the White-Brinkel wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King, Wapakoneta; Mrs. J. D. Hawley, Detroit; Francis Brinkel and Miss Anna Hill, Toledo.

Miss Mary Brinkel and Mr. Chas. White were united in marriage at St. Peter and Paul's church, Wednesday morning. The attendants were Miss Agnes Brinkel and Mrs. Harry Kohls. The wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Brinkel. A dance was given to their friends, at the armory, in the evening. A number of social functions were given for the bride. Mrs. H. J. Brinkel gave a surprise shower, Mrs. I. Kahle and daughter, a family party, and the C. L. of C. of which Miss Brinkel was president, a shower. Many useful and beautiful gifts were showered on the young lady, who is very popular in the village. She is prominent in church, and served several years as efficient deputy probate judge.

The Girls' Embroidery club will meet with Miss Eastman Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Mordeff of Maumee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wolfe.

Mrs. J. W. Smith entertained the Thrift club, Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. J. Fuerst entertained her card club, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. H. H. Stuber entertained the Profit and Pleasure Club, Tuesday evening. Miss Sandless will be next hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Beckman spent Sunday with the lunch family in Toledo.

BOTKINS

Mrs. William Behms and Miss Marie Roth visited at Columbus Grove Wednesday.

Mrs. E. R. Cole was called to St. Marys on account of the serious illness of her father, who had a paralytic stroke.

Miss Lulu Gerber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gerber was united in marriage to Herbert Stroh, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Stroh, at the residence of the bride's parents. They will reside near Botkins.

Miss Grace Weal of Dayton spent a few days with Mrs. Mel Weaver.

Quite a number from here attended the class play, "Breezy Point," at Anna Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Grace Bush spent Tuesday in Lima.

Mrs. Charles Boyer and daughter Mabel were shopping in Lima Friday.

Carl Hagelburger arrived home a few days ago from camp, having received his discharge.

Urban Zangelne has returned home from Denver, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heqner are the parents of a baby boy.

ALGER

Tuesday afternoon the Missionary Society met at the country home of Mrs. Zera Shadley. Mrs. Shadley read a paper on "History of the Missionary." Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Rev. Turner and mother, Mrs. Hain of Ada, and Miss Hullabarger of Harrod, house guest of Mrs. Shadley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cochran gave a dinner Sunday in honor of Burr Fess, just discharged from U. S. army.

Miss Izora Scott is visiting relatives in Ada.

Chet Oyler spent Sunday in Canton, O.

Miss Pauline Ritter was a Lima shopper Monday.

Stuart Carey of Lima was an Alger visitor Friday.

Emery Struts and family were Ada callers Monday.

Masop Conner, spent Sunday with relatives in Lima.

Loran A. McElroy of Ada was in Alger on business Tuesday.

Arnold Keith of Elida was an Alger visitor Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Arnett of Lima spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Alger.

Dean Magamot, wife and son, Jack took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirts.

Washington Conner telegraphed his father Sunday that he is now located at Camp Dix.

Chas. Huston has accepted a position as assistant cashier in the First National Bank at Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shoffer and son Melvin of Bellecenter spent Sunday with Guy Streets and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lepley of near West Minister called at the Ross Stevenson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dicus and little daughter, Irene of Roundhead spent Sunday at the Guy Streets home.

HARROD

Mrs. Jim Huston of Alger, spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. William Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blaine are entertaining their son, Jim Blaine, who recently returned from France. He is enroute to Camp Custer, Michigan, where he will be discharged.

Mrs. Clint Stubbs and daughter, Nelie were Lima visitors this week.

Mrs. Mable Leatherman is ill at her home with the mumps, also her little daughter, Luella is ill.

Mrs. Elou Durbin was a Lima shopper Wednesday.

James Grubb of the International Operatic company, has returned to his home here for the summer. Mrs. Grubb is spending a few weeks with her mother in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Elvin Heller and daughters, Jane and Kitty are visiting Mr. Heller's parents near Centerburg, O.

Columbus Grove

Miss Ethlyn Core and Harriet Busche were guests at the Ollie Day home in Lima, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Burkhardt and family of Pandora, visited at the Jake Core home last Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Saunders was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hiner at Lima last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hiner expects to leave for Ocean City, New Jersey, in June to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hilby of Pandora visited Mr. and Mrs. John Eversole last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wells and family of Ada were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Killen last Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy McClure of near Kalida, a baby girl.

Mrs. Winifred Melroy of Vaughnsville visited Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Slusser a few days the first of the week.

Miss Wanda Burkam of Columbus visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkam the fore part of the week. Miss Burkam is making preparations for an extended trip to Colorado soon.

Mrs. S. S. Richards, of Clyde, O., and Miss Martha Holmes were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Belch last Wednesday.

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Miss Francis Drosch was a Minister visitor the fore part of the week.

Dan Schroeder and family and Henry Athmer of Dayton spent the week-end with Mrs. Clara Athmer and family here.

Karl Kuehner, Charles Lauferweiller, Clem Vallo, Ben Hegeman, Dr.

Ed. Westerholde, Andrew Lampert and Roy Rulman went to Wapakoneta Thursday to attend the Elks initiation.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Hogenkamp, Miss Carrie Haverbeck and Henry Horstman motored to Celina Monday for a visit.

V. C. Purvis this week became the sole owner of the Purvis drug store, he buying the share of John Purvis of the Central drug store of Wapakoneta. V. C. Purvis was just recently discharged from the army.

VAN WERT

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Owens are attending the graduation exercises of the Grover Hill high school.

Misses Vesta and Ruth Rowland have gone to Fort Wayne to spend the week-end with Clyde Rowland.

Miss Mary Cave has returned from a visit to Lima.

Mrs. Byron Smith and daughter, Grace, spent a day in Lima last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Brown were in Van Wert Thursday from Haviland. Their son accompanied them.

Russell Blair is at home from Grand Rapids where he went to greet a returned brother from overseas.

T. B. Marwick has gone to Mansfield to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sickles of Rockford are the guests of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

Miss Ella Smith left Saturday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she has accepted a position in a library there.

Miss Mae Wharton of Convoys is the guest of friends here.

Miss Margaret Henneman of Fort Wayne, is at home to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henneman.

Miss Anna Elcock has returned from Omaha, Neb., from an all-winter stay with her sister.

Marion B. Patton of Delphos is a guest of friends here for a few days. He has recently returned from overseas.

Miss Helen Wlich left for a visit with her parents in Chicago.

Mrs. B. C. Potter and Louis Moatz of Peru, Ind., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Baltzell.

ELIDA

Commencement was held for the graduating class of 1919 on Wednesday evening. The program consisted of an essay entitled "Quo Vadis," by William Smith, a solo by Gordon Thomas of Vaughnsville, and the address was by Rev. W. D. Cole of Trinity M. E. church, of Lima. The diplomas were presented by E. L. Leidy. The graduates were Helen Anderson, Agnes Bechtol, Nina Shope, Zilpha Kruse, Florence Ridenour, Helen Jones, Vera Holtzapfle, Rector, Edgar Hoffer, William Smith, Olive Smith, Russell Friend, Glen Herbert Sherrick and David Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans and son, Myron, of Venedoria, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker, Warren Jones and daughter, Elma, and Miss Carr of Lima, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stevenson of Deshler, attended the commencement Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Isiah East returned home Monday from Cleveland, after spending the past ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest East and Mr. and Mrs. Roland East.

Roy Harshbarger of Kenton spent Sunday at the LeRoy Brown home.

Mrs. Fred Lybarger and daughter, Ruth of Lima, spent Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Rachel Moffat.

Mrs. Wm. Anderson after being confined to her bed for the last two months with rheumatic fever, is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones entertained on Wednesday evening the Senior class of 1919. Among those present were Superintendent P. B. Leidy, Miss Arretha Cornell, Miss Helen McDonel, Mrs. M. W. Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bechtol, Herman Bechtol of Elida, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Johns, Clarence Johns, Richard Johns, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Becker, W. E. Jones and daughter, Elma, and Miss Carr of Lima.

Lloyd Carr and Otto Sherrick have returned home from service overseas.

Mrs. H. M. Clark left Saturday for Marion, Ohio, to spend a week with friends and relatives.

The Junior-Senior banquet was held Monday evening.

DELPHOS

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gauthier of Bertha Heights, near Cleveland, are visiting at the home of Mr. Father, Frank Alexander.

Mrs. G. C. Nopper and little daughter, Helen, returned to their home in Toledo, Friday morning after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ryan, of East Harmon street.

Carl Baumgartner returned to his home in Lima Friday morning after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson. Mrs. Baumgartner remained in this city for a few days.

C. T. Baxter, of Marion township, has received word from his son, Carl, announcing his arrival in New York from France, where he has been in service for the past nine months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thomas of Saginaw, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas, of Laume, Wyo., who have been guests at the home of Mr. A. O. Thomas, left for their homes, Friday.

Miss Stella Karstner, who has been visiting with relatives and friends in Delphos since Saturday, has returned to her home in Huntington, Ind.

ST. MARYS

Mrs. Ella Thompson, of Mercer county, has left for a visit in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Collier Smith have returned from a business trip to Detroit.

Mrs. Don Newsome and daughter, Elizabeth, are week-end visitors at Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gleichhart, Wapak, are guests of H. D. Rupert.

Mrs. F. C. Pruett, of Toledo, arrived Friday for a week-end visit

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hamilton.

Kathryn Buss is visiting a friend at a New York military camp. Her seventh grade pupils are being taught by her sister, Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horch and children, Charles, Henry and Evelyn, left for a week-end sojourn at Mr. Horch's home at Ameline, Ohio.

Clifford Lamp, wife and little son returned Friday to Bellefontaine, having visited at the Lamp home, near the village of Mercer.

THE WEEK IN COLORED CIRCLES

The Ladies' Auxiliary will serve a 5 o'clock supper Wednesday evening, May 21st, followed by an entertainment and program.

The Baptist Ladies' League will have a baked sale and male concert, Friday evening, May 23rd.

Miss Roby King has been removed from the City hospital to her home on west Spring and still remains very weak.

Mrs. Belle Reed, west High street, is quite sick with rheumatism and unable to be up.

Mrs. George Vena, south Nye street, has been quite sick during the past week with the flu.

Sunday, at St. Paul's A. M. E. church, will be rally day, with special musical numbers by the choir. Sunday school at 2 o'clock.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the K. of P. lodge and Court of Calanth will have their annual Thanksgiving sermon preached at St. Paul A. M. E. church by Rev. J. A. Collins.

Miss Mamie Morru, assisted by Mrs. Belle Curtis entertained the Allen Star Missionaries Thursday afternoon at St. Paul A. M. E. church from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The entertainment given Wednesday evening by the class in kindergarten was a decided success and much credit is due Mrs. Raymer and Mrs. Collins for the instruction.

Friday night at St. Paul's A. M. E. church Samuel W. Clark lodge of the Masonic order held a banquet for their lady friends. One hundred and eleven guests were seated at a sumptuous four-course dinner at eight-thirty o'clock in the basement of the church while sweet strains of music was

Mrs. Eugene Martin went to Lima Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Skinner, a patient at a hospital there.

Edith Burkhardt and Emma, Alvin and Amanda Kettler spent a few days in Lima recently.

Mrs. C. W. DeMoss, a recent guest in St. Marys, has returned to her home in Lima.

H. B. Frowning and family arrived from Columbus, en route for a visit with relatives in Minister and Fort Recovery.

Mrs. Dora Burden is quite sick at her home on west Market street.

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As a result of the numerous transactions being daily consummated by A. J. Dunn, a long time lease was recently secured on the Lima Daily News building and ground. The present income from the News building is far below the figure that this property should produce hence Mr. Dunn, purely as a business proposition, will entertain negotiations for the lease of this property to responsible parties.

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LIMA HAS FINE EDUCATIONAL PLANTS

VOCATIONAL SYSTEM PLACES THIS CITY IN HIGHEST RANKS

Two Modern Buildings Here Are Fitted to Give Youth Best Possible Training—Wide Choice Is Allowed

A vocational system of education in vogue with modern educators throughout the country and in accordance with the newest policy of educational boards is to be inaugurated at the opening of the coming school term in Lima. This plan, which has attained nation-wide importance is the direct result of appropriations made by congress under the Smith-Hughes bill, which provides for the maintenance of vocational training for the young American under ideal conditions. The old recognized plan of education under a grade school system of eight years spent in the primary and grammar grades, and four years of high school now gives way to the present plan of six years in what is known as an earlier course of training, supplemented with another six years in high school studies.

The advantages of the new system lie in the fact that now the outline of study is made a matter of choice, on the part of the pupil himself, instead of a somewhat compulsory practice of mapping out a course of study in preparation for the future scholar. In other words it gives the child with a talent for commercial studies or investigation along industrial lines the opportunity of choosing what suits his particular case. While these advantages are apparent there is no detriment from the academic and preparatory branches which lead to professional life. In fact there is a marked tendency to regard the new system as embodying the additional features of preparatory courses with those of an industrial and commercial nature. It has been recognized by educators that in the matter of suggesting to the pupil a course of instruction which naturally follows his natural bent is more beneficial to him than if he were forced to apply his mind to studies which were not in accordance with his own personal idea of his own future in after life. This has led in many cities to outstanding results in keeping the attendance of advanced pupils up to a record mark, since the pupil himself recognizes that he is preparing himself for after life.

PATH IN SYSTEM

Subsequent Collins of the Lima public schools in a statement recently said that he has no hesitancy in placing the adopted plan of instruction, but to even a critical public.

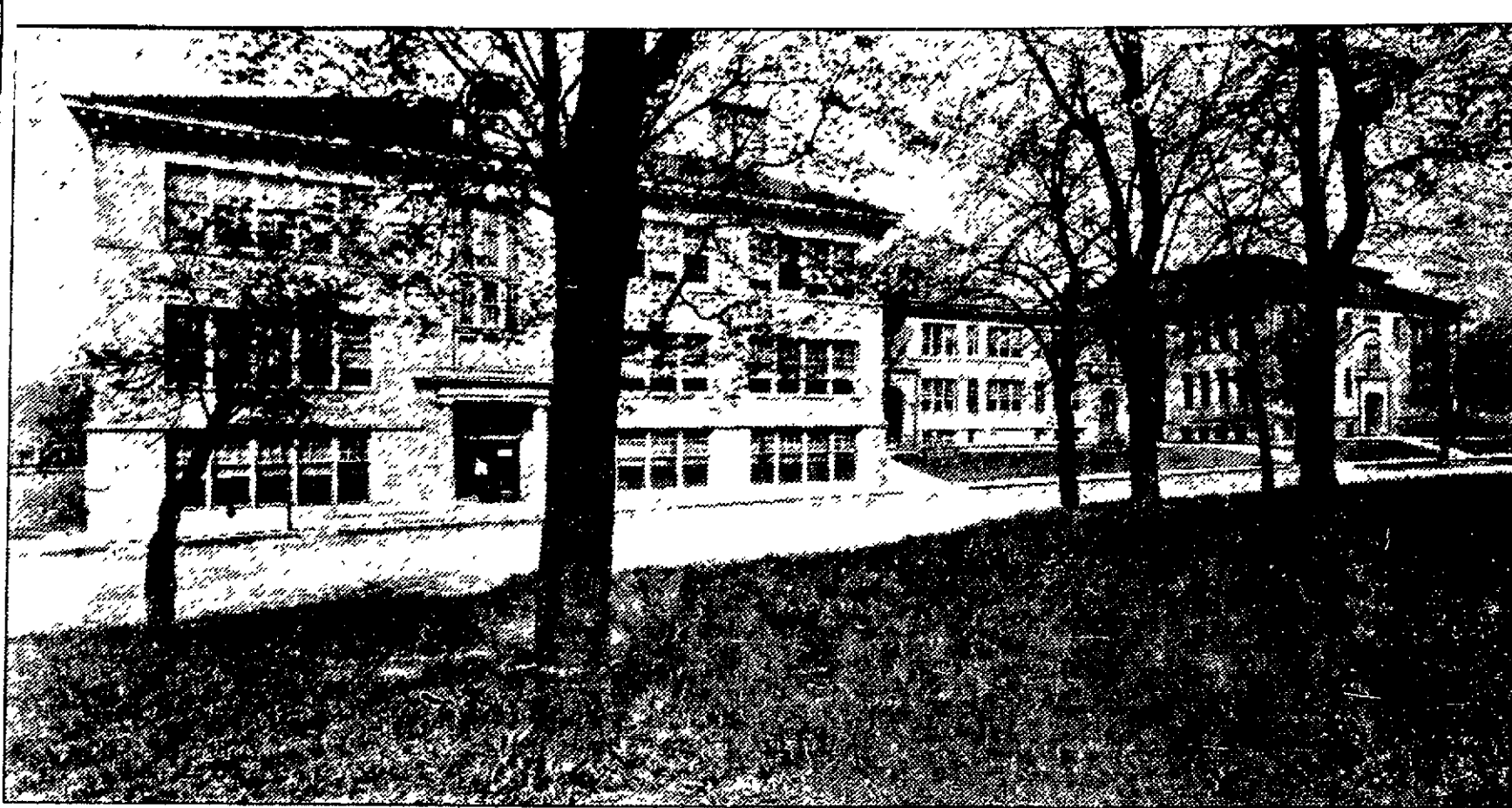
The South Lima high school is now equipped with appropriations for the establishment of vocational courses in all fields in the union. With the building program created by the board of education it has been possible for Lima schools to avail themselves of this source of income for a building.

Under the present system of building which has been in the future, as well as the present congestion of only one school, has been relieved with our plan of six years in the lower grades and then six years in the high school.

The new building program, the seventh and eighth grades for the first time in the lower school. The new buildings are the first enough to be for the number of pupil who will not only be completed, but attend high schools. With the Smith-Hughes bill, Central will be prepared to care for any demands for accommodation and have plenty of space available for new students who come to these schools after the completion of six years elsewhere.

Possibly making more room in the grade schools the new buildings under the plan serve to bring the school closer to all people with the establishing of eight schools which have a school with three quarters. Another added feature which is added to the project is that it gives both north and south Lima equal advantages in education.

And the provisions of the Smith-Hughes bill is now possible.



Above is shown the Central high school, one of the finest and most complete buildings of its kind in the state.



This cut shows the cafeteria at the Central high school where girls of the home economics classes served meals during the last year. This was a great success.

maintain a night school embracing courses in blue print reading, cabinet making, cooking, dressmaking, advanced machine shop practice, metallurgy and a number of other studies of a vocational nature. Non-vocational studies featuring a commercial course are also taught. They include bookkeeping, computer operation, newspaper work, classes in English and citizenship for foreign born, stenography and typewriting along with others. Night classes have been organized since January. No tuition fee is required when attending night school classes, except a deposit of \$1 is required at the start and if a good attendance is maintained the remainder of the total amount is refunded. Ohio is among the first states and Lima one of the first cities to profit by the Smith-Hughes bill, thru the generous support of the State Board of Education and the activity of Mrs. Kent W. Hughes, resident member of the state board.

EARLY APPROPRIATION. The bill carries with it early appropriations amounting to millions, increasing each year until 1926, when the first amount then furnished becomes a fixed figure. It provides for half the amount for maintenance of schools and courses and the remainder for teachers' salaries. Lima has been exceptionally favored in the receipt of appropriations under the bill.

The first amount reaching here was appropriated one year ago. It covers the cost of instruction in the machine shop, vocational woodwork and instruction in home economics and home-makers course for over age girls in the day schools and cost of instruction of the men's vocational classes, also women's classes, and training courses. A total of \$110,000 was received last year to cover these items.

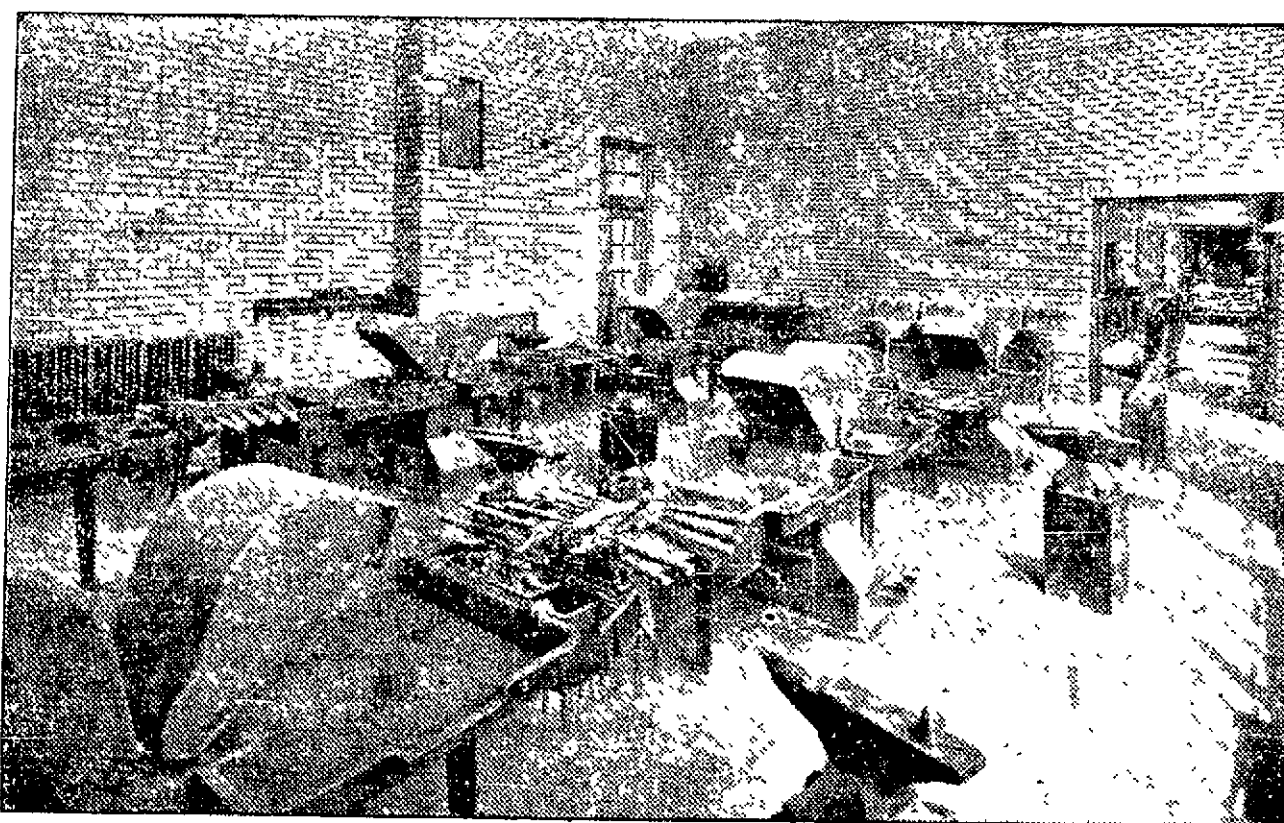
Local manufacturers last September voted to meet half the cost of the erection of a new machine shop and shop equipment for the South high

building. This co-operation together with state and federal aid guarantees for Lima a vocational course second to none in the state. The total cost of erection was \$26,000, of which \$18,070 was raised in Lima by manufacturing firms.

The building policy adopted three

served to eliminate congestion at that point and still furnish Lima with one of the most modern buildings in the state.

The two buildings situated on the same lot are now joined together with an administration building as the commanding unit. As at present



This is a scene in the forge shop at the South high school. It is here that the boys are learning much about shop work.

years ago by the board of education has made earnest effort to build in accordance with the most modern practice. Two years previous the consolidation of the Central High school and the Franklin building

ent situated the Central building consists of three units with the Administration building in the center and the Franklin building and Central high flanking on both sides. In accordance with the building program

high school library, gymnasium and running track on the second; while the ground floor accommodates showers and locker rooms for students. This consolidation enables the operation on the group plan and at the same time prevents any break in the organization of the school work above the sixth year, thus eliminating the disadvantages due to the old plan of separation and still reaps the advantages ensuing from the union of all groups.

POINTS OUT ADVANTAGES.

In a trip thru the building, Superintendent Collins pointed out the advantages of keeping the boy or girl in school by the use of a plan of study which coincides with the opinion of the youthful mind as to what a school should be. Interested classes of boys engaged in wood-turning, lathe work, with girls just as much satisfied with classes in domestic science and kindred subjects designed to add useful as well as a pleasurable atmosphere to school days.

Of course other studies are combined with these just mentioned and are a part of the school work. "It is my opinion that the satisfied student is much more likely to remain in school than out. It is surroundings are congenial. The day of the requirement of the youthful wage-earner in the home is past, at least it has been substantially reduced and the average pupil would much rather be occupied with something that suits his fancy and at the same time be of use to him," stated the superintendent.

The present curriculum now includes from the first high school year or the seventh in the course of instruction to graduation in the order of their appearance, mathematics,

American history, physiology and physical training, geography, manual arts or household arts, art and music; algebra, ancient and mediaeval history, general science, Latin, commercial arithmetic, French (optional) English, geometry, history of industry and commerce, physics, stenography, typewriting, Spanish, and the Smith-Hughes economics or industrial courses, chemistry or agriculture. In the academic courses stenography and typewriting is omitted while the choice of languages is optional with the exception of Latin.

South High presents about the same advantages as Central with the possible exception that at the Central building more attention is given to woodworking arts than the industrial which prevails at the former school. South Lima being more suitable for the introduction of industrial instruction than Central more time is devoted to its teaching. Probably no other building is more thoroughly equipped than the south side building. The furniture is of quarter sawed oak of most substantial

character and design. It was built at the Mansfield reformatory and purchased from them on the basis of cost of material only, therefore resulting in a saving of at least \$25,000 to the city.

In the near future Central high will be as well equipped as the south side building with the final arrival from Mansfield of small amounts of school furniture yet to be consigned. At present the plan is to store the furniture which has already arrived until the opening of the next school term, thus causing no interruption of the present school year. During the vacation months the installation will be affected and the new furniture ready for use at the opening of the fall term. A sum of \$30,000 was expended for the school equipment. No item has been overlooked in the furnishing of the buildings and no attempt has been made to secure other than articles needed for the proper appearance of an up-to-date school system.

Proper regard for the health and physical welfare of the students is maintained by the faculty of both high schools. Classes each day spend at least a half hour in physical drills and setting-up exercises. Modern gymnasiums impart more vigor to the average student in his efforts to have a correct body. Athletic sports of all kinds are encouraged and with a real place in which to im-

duge in athletics there is no hesitancy on the part of pupils to benefit by this process. Physical directors of both sexes are engaged for the proper administration of training and athletics. Girls as well as the boy students are required to devote part of each school day to athletics.

It is claimed that under the six-year plan more students continue beyond the eighth year; being already a part of the high school organization. This statement is borne out by the increased attendance in the seventh, eighth and ninth years over previous enrollments of the same grades. Last reports show a total attendance of 1424 pupils at the Central high and 805 at the South High.

The board of education is composed of six members, Dr. W. E. Hovey, president, James J. Gensel, vice president, Frank W. Mullenhour, clerk, J. I. Motter, Guy C. Butler and J. E. Collins, superintendent of instruction. Central High is in charge of R. E. Offenhour with P. H. Conser, principal of the South High.

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NEWS FROM NEAR BY TOWNS

OTTAWA

Miss Mary L. Light spent Sunday with Miss Zee Page, in Shelby. Mrs. Kate Rice and grandson Ward Driscoll, spent Sunday with Wm. Driscoll and wife, in Toledo. Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Burden have welcomed a daughter, who has received the name of Mary Jane.

Among the guests from out-of-town at the White-Brinkel wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King, Wapakoneta; Mrs. J. D. Hawley, Detroit; Francis Brinkel and Miss Anna Hill, Toledo.

Miss Mary Brinkel and Mr. Chas. White were united in marriage at St. Peter and Paul's church, Wednesday morning. The attendants were Miss Agnes Brinkel and Mrs. Harry Kohls. The wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Brinkel. A dance was given to their friends, at the armory, in the evening. A number of social functions were given for the bride. Mrs. H. J. Brinkel gave a surprise shower, Mrs. I. Kahle and daughter, a family party, and the C. L. of C. of which Miss Brinkel was president, a shower. Many useful and beautiful gifts were showered on the young lady, who is very popular in the village. She is prominent in church, and served several years as efficient deputy debate judge.

The Girls' Embroidery club will meet with Miss Eastman Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Mordoff of Maumee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wolfe.

Mrs. J. W. Smith entertained the Thrift club, Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. J. Fuerst entertained her card club, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. H. H. Stuber entertained the Profit and Pleasure Club, Tuesday evening. Miss Sandless will be next hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Beckman spent Sunday with the Lunch family in Toledo.

BOTKINS

Mrs. William Behms and Miss Marie Roth visited at Columbus Grove Wednesday.

Mrs. E. R. Cole was called to St. Marys on account of the serious illness of her father, who had a paralytic stroke.

Miss Lulu Gerber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gerber was united in marriage to Herbert Stroh, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Stroh, at the residence of the bride's parents. They will reside near Botkins.

Miss Grace Weal of Dayton spent a few days with Mrs. Mel Weaver. Quite a number from here attended the class play, "Breezy Point," at Anna Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Grace Bush spent Tuesday in Lima.

Mrs. Charles Boyer and daughter Mabel were shopping in Lima Friday.

Carl Hagelburger arrived home a few days ago from camp, having received his discharge.

Urban Zangelline has returned home from Denver, Col. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hegnert are the parents of a baby boy.

ALGER

Tuesday afternoon the Missionary Society met at the country home of Mrs. Zera Shadley. Mrs. Shadley read a paper on "History of the Missionary." Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Rev. Turner and mother, Mrs. Hain of Ada, and Miss Hulbarger of Harrod, house guest of Mrs. Shadley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cochran gave a dinner Sunday in honor of Burr Fess, just discharged from U. S. army.

Miss Izora Scott is visiting relatives in Ada.

Chet Oyler spent Sunday in Canton, O.

Miss Pauline Ritter was a Lima shopper Monday.

Stuart Carey of Lima was an Alger visitor Friday.

Emery Struts and family were Ada callers Monday.

Mason Conner, spent Sunday with relatives in Lima.

Loran A. McElroy of Ada was in Alger on business Tuesday.

Arnold Keith of Elida was an Alger visitor Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Arnett of Lima spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Alger.

Dean Magamot, wife and son, Jack took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirts.

Washington Conner telegraphed his father Sunday that he is now located at Camp Dix.

Chas. Huston has accepted a position as assistant cashier in the First National Bank at Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shoffer and son Melvin of Bellecenter spent Sunday with Guy Streets and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lepley of near West Minister called at the Ross Stevenson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dicus and little daughter, Irene of Roundhead spent Sunday at the Guy Streets home.

HARROD

Mrs. Jim Huston of Alger, spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. William Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blaine are entertaining their son, Jim Blaine, who recently returned from France. He is enroute to Camp Custer, Michigan, where he will be discharged.

Mrs. Clint Stubbs and daughter, Nellie were Lima visitors this week.

Mrs. Mable Leatherman is ill at her home with the mumps, also her little daughter, Luella is ill.

Mr. Elton Durbin was a Lima shopper Wednesday.

James Grubb of the International Operative company, has returned to his home here for the summer. Mrs. Grubb is spending a few weeks with her mother in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Elvin Heller and daughters, Jane and Kitty are visiting Mr. Heller's parents near Centerburg, O.

Columbus Grove

Miss Ethlyn Core and Harriet Busche were guests at the Ollie Day home in Lima, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Burkhardt and family of Pandora, visited at the Jake Core home last Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Saunders was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hiner at Lima last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hiner expects to leave for Ocean City, New Jersey, in June to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hilby of Pandora visited Mr. and Mrs. John Eversole last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wells and family of Ada were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Killen last Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy McClure of near Kalida, a baby girl.

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The Home Builders company sold one of its homes to William Haveman this week.

Miss Frieda Laufersweiler returned Saturday from a several weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Sidney.

The Misses Odella Kaiser, Minnie Kleinhenz, Stella Winkler, Marie Kaiser and Clara Steinman motored to Sharpshurg Tuesday evening, to attend a linen shower given in honor of Miss Francis Kaiser, who will be married on June 10, to Henry Liening of St. Patrick.

Miss Francis Drosch was a Minster visitor the fore part of the week. Dan Schroeder and family and Henry Athmer of Dayton spent the week-end with Mrs. Clara Athmer and family here.

Karl Kuehner, Charles Laufersweiler, Clem Vallo, Ben Hogeman, Dr.

Ed. Westerheide, Andrew Lampert and Roy Rulman went to Wapakoneta Thursday to attend the Elks initiation.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Hogenkamp, Miss Carrie Haverbeck and Henry Horstman motored to Celina Monday for a visit.

V. C. Purvis this week became the sole owner of the Purvis drug store, he buying the share of John Purvis of the Central drug store of Wapakoneta. V. C. Purvis was just recently discharged from the army.

VAN WERT

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Owens are attending the graduation exercises of the Grover Hill high school.

Misses Vesta and Ruth Rowland have gone to Fort Wayne to spend the week-end with Clyde Rowland.

Miss Mary Cave has returned from a visit to Lima.

Mrs. Byron Smith and daughter, Grace, spent a day in Lima last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Brown were in Van Wert Thursday from Haviland. Their son accompanied them.

Russell Blair is at home from Grand Rapids where he went to greet a returned brother from overseas.

T. B. Marrick has gone to Mansfield to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stickle of Rockford are the guests of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

Miss Ella Smith left Saturday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she has accepted a position in a library there.

Miss Margaret Henneman of Fort Wayne, is at home to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henneman.

Miss Anna Elcock has returned from Omaha, Neb., from an all-winter stay with her sister.

Marion B. Patton of Delphos is a guest of friends here for a few days. He has recently returned from overseas.

Miss Helen Elch left for a visit with her parents in Chicago.

Mrs. B. C. Potter and Louis Moatz of Peru, Ind., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Baltzell.

ELIDA

Commencement was held for the graduating class of 1919 on Wednesday evening. The program consisted of an essay entitled "Quo Vadis," by William Smith, a solo by Gordon Thomas of Vaughnsville, and the address was by Rev. W. D. Cole of Trinity M. E. church, of Lima. The diplomas were presented by E. E. Leidy. The graduates were Helen Anderson, Agnes Bechtel, Myra Shope, Zilpha Kruse, Florence Ridonour, Helen Jones, Vera Holtzaple, Baxter, Edgar Huffer, William Smith, Olive Smith, Russell Friend, Glen Herbert Sherrick and David Glase.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans and son, Myron, of Venetia, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker, Warren Jones and daughter, Elma, and Miss Curry of Lima, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stevenson of Deshler, attended the commencement Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah East returned home Monday from Cleveland, after spending the past ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest East and Mr. and Mrs. Roland East.

Roy Harshbald of Kenton spent Sunday at the LeRoy Brown home.

Mrs. Fred Lybarger and daughter, Ruth of Lima, spent Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Rachel McPior.

Mrs. Wm. Anderson after being confined to her bed for the last two months with rheumatic fever, is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones entertained on Wednesday evening the Senior class of 1919. Among those present were Superintendent P. E. Leidy, Miss Arretha Cornell, Miss Helen McDonald, Mrs. M. W. Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bechtel, Herman Bechtel of Elida, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. John, Clarence John, Richard John, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Becker, W. E. Jones and daughter, Elma, and Miss Clair of Lima.

Lloyd Carr and Otto Sherrick have returned home from service overseas.

Mrs. H. M. Clark left Saturday for Marion, Ohio, to spend a week with friends and relatives.

The Junior-Senior banquet was held Monday evening.

DELPHOS

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gerthoffer of Berlin Heights, near Cleveland, are visiting at the home of his father, Frank Alexander.

Mrs. G. C. Nopper and little daughter, Helen, returned to their home in Toledo, Friday morning after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ryan, of East Harmon street.

Carl Baumgartner returned to his home in Lima Friday morning after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson. Mrs. Baumgartner remained in this city for a few days.

C. T. Baxter, of Marion township, has received word from his son, Carl, announcing his arrival in New York from France, where he has been in service for the past nine months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thomas of Saginaw, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thomas, of Laraine, Wyo., who have been guests at the home of Mrs. A. O. Thomas, left for their homes, Friday.

Miss Stella Karstner, who has been visiting with relatives and friends in Delphos since Saturday, has returned to her home in Huntington, Ind.

ST. MARYS

Mrs. Ella Thompson, of Mercer county, has left for a visit in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Collier Smith have returned from a business trip to Detroit.

Mrs. Don Newsome and daughter, Elizabeth, are week-end visitors at Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gierhart, Wapak, are guests of H. D. Rupert. Mrs. F. C. Pruetor, of Toledo, arrived Friday for a week-end visit

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hamilton.

Kathryn Buss is visiting a friend at a New York military camp. Her seventh grade pupils are being taught by her sister, Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horch and children, Charles, Henry and Evelyn, left for a week-end sojourn at Mr. Horch's home at Amline, Ohio.

Clifford Lamp, wife and little son returned Friday to Bellefontaine, having visited at the Lamp home, near the village of Mercer.

THE WEEK IN COLORED CIRCLES

The Ladies' Auxiliary will serve a 5 o'clock supper Wednesday evening, May 21st, followed by an entertainment and program.

The Baptist Ladies' League will have a baked sale and male concert, Friday evening, May 23rd.

Miss Roly King has been removed from the city hospital to her home on west Spring and still remains very weak.

Mrs. Belle Reed, west High street, is quite sick with rheumatism and unable to be up.

Mrs. George Vena, south Nye street, has been quite sick during the past week with the flu.

Sunday, at St. Paul's A. M. E. church, will be rally day, with special musical numbers by the choir. Sunday school at 2 o'clock.

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock the K. of H. lodge and Court of Calanthe will have their annual Thanksgiving sermon preached at St. Paul A. M. E. church by Rev. J. A. Collins.

Miss Minnie Morin, assisted by Mrs. Belle Curtis entertained the Allen Star Missionaries Thursday afternoon at St. Paul A. M. E. church from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The entertainment given Wednesday evening by the class in kindergarten was a decided success and an credit is due Mrs. Raymer and Mrs. Collins for the instruction.

Friday night at St. Paul's A. M. E. church Samuel W. Clark lodge of the Masonic order held a banquet for their lady friends. One hundred and eleven guests were served a sumptuous four-course dinner at eight-thirty o'clock in the basement of the church while sweet strains of music was

Mrs. Eugene Martin went to Lima Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Skinner, a patient at a hospital there.

Edith Burkhardt and Emma, Alvina and Amanda Kettler spent a few days in Lima recently.

Mrs. C. W. DeMoss, a recent guest in St. Marys, has returned to her home in Lima.

H. B. Frowning and family arrived from Columbus, en route for a visit with relatives in Minster and Fort Recovery.

played by the Heman orchestra. An interesting program followed: Song, America, audience; opening remarks, Rev. A. J. Collins; music, Miss Ethel Bass; remarks, Captain Peter McCowan; music, Miss Marcell Harrison; remarks, A. B. Jackson, W. M. J. music, William Webb, Sr.; remarks, Walter Manuel; response, Mrs. Hattie Morin; music, Chas. Hamilton; toastmaster, Dr. Bradford. The basement was prettily decorated with ferns and the tables with cut flowers. Among out-of-town guests were Miss Harriet of Findlay and Mr. Lawson, of Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Dora Burden is quite sick at her home on west Market street.

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As a result of the numerous transactions being daily consummated by A. J. Dunn, a long time lease was recently secured on the Lima Daily News building and ground. The present income from the News building is far below the figure that this property should produce hence Mr. Dunn, purely as a business proposition, will entertain negotiations for the lease of this property to responsible parties.

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OCEAN HIS 'LAND' WHEN BARRED BY VARIOUS NATIONS

Here is a Modern "Man Without a Country"—Charges "Frameup"

SAN FRANCISCO—A modern "Man Without a Country"—is Paul Freeman, exile.

Like Philip Nolan in Edward Everett Hale's romance, Freeman is disowned by the land of his birth because of words that he uttered during wartime.

Australia has twice sought to have him deported to the United States, saying he is not a Britisher. American immigration officials declare he is no American and have twice refused to admit him.

He has crossed the Pacific three times in four months and journeyed 25,000 miles—as far as around the world. He is still a journeyman.

Three months ago Freeman was sent to this port from the Antipodes. He was sent back without being permitted to land from the liner Sonoma, on which Australian officials had placed him, a prisoner.

When he reached Australia, he was not allowed to land. The Sonoma brought him back to San Francisco.

COMPANY PROTESTS

Now when the liner next sails for

Australia, Freeman again will be aboard, under confinement in the steerage, still a man without a country.

The steamship company is in a quandary. While Freeman travels to and fro between two stone walls,

the Oceanic Line is rebelliously paying his grub bills.

Freeman says he is a Britisher. He claims he is the victim of a frameup on the part of Australia's moneyed mining men.

For 10 years, thru the hills and

bush of Australia he followed the lure of gold. Fortune, after eluding him for a decade, came his way. According to his story, he stumbled on a rich vein and staked out some valuable claims.

Mining interests, he alleges,

itched to get those claims away from him. It is these interests that he ascribes his deportation as an alien.

ADMITTS MAKING SPEECH

Freeman admits he made a speech in a mountain mining camp. What he said is not known. Australian military authorities seized him after the speech and thrust him aboard the Sonoma.

Freeman claims to be a labor leader in a small way and a member of the Australian Miners Union. He has appealed to the union to

take up his case.

An appeal to Washington has been made by the Oceanic Steamship Co. to help them get rid of their unwelcome boarder.

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE.

Plans for the organization of a business men's club to further work of the Y. M. C. A. were discussed at a meeting held Friday night in the Y building. Fifty-two were present at the affair. Arrangements for the coming membership drive to be started by the Y were also made.

BANK DEPOSITS IN PUTNAM SHOW ENORMOUS INCREASE

OTTAWA—Bank deposits in Putnam county during the past year have reached enormous proportions, with nearly \$3,000,000 in savings accounts added to large amounts already placed in banks throughout the county. The last six months of 1918 show an increase of 7,000,000. The purchase of war savings stamps and bonds amounted to 3,000,000.

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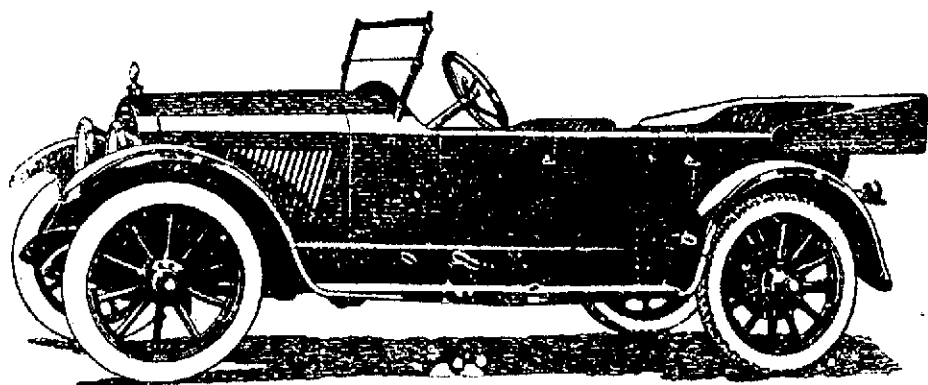
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may change, but General Petlura,
like Kolchak at Omsk, remains the
power, and if he is given equipment
by the allies he says he can drive the
Bolshevik out of Ukraine.

But for their struggle with the
Polish, this aid might be forthcom-
ing.

One who goes into Ukraina goes
under a white flag, with a trumpeter
blowing ahead. But the white flag
is punctiliously respected, and arriv-
al at the Ukrainian headquarters re-
veals a group of officers who will
average well with those in the Aus-
trian army in which they all have
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Petlura blames military opinion
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should leave the directorate before
the question of the recognition of the
Ukraine by the allies could be con-
sidered. Because I had taken up
arms against Denikin's army—the
voluntary arm, as it is called, I say
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cause this army cannot bring a set-
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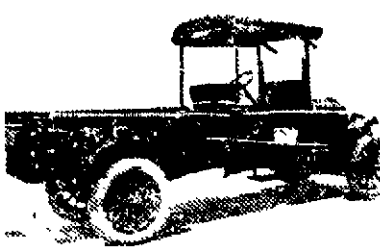
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a very valuable asset for the educa-
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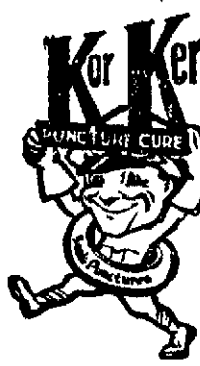
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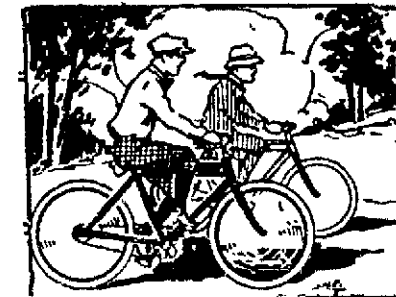

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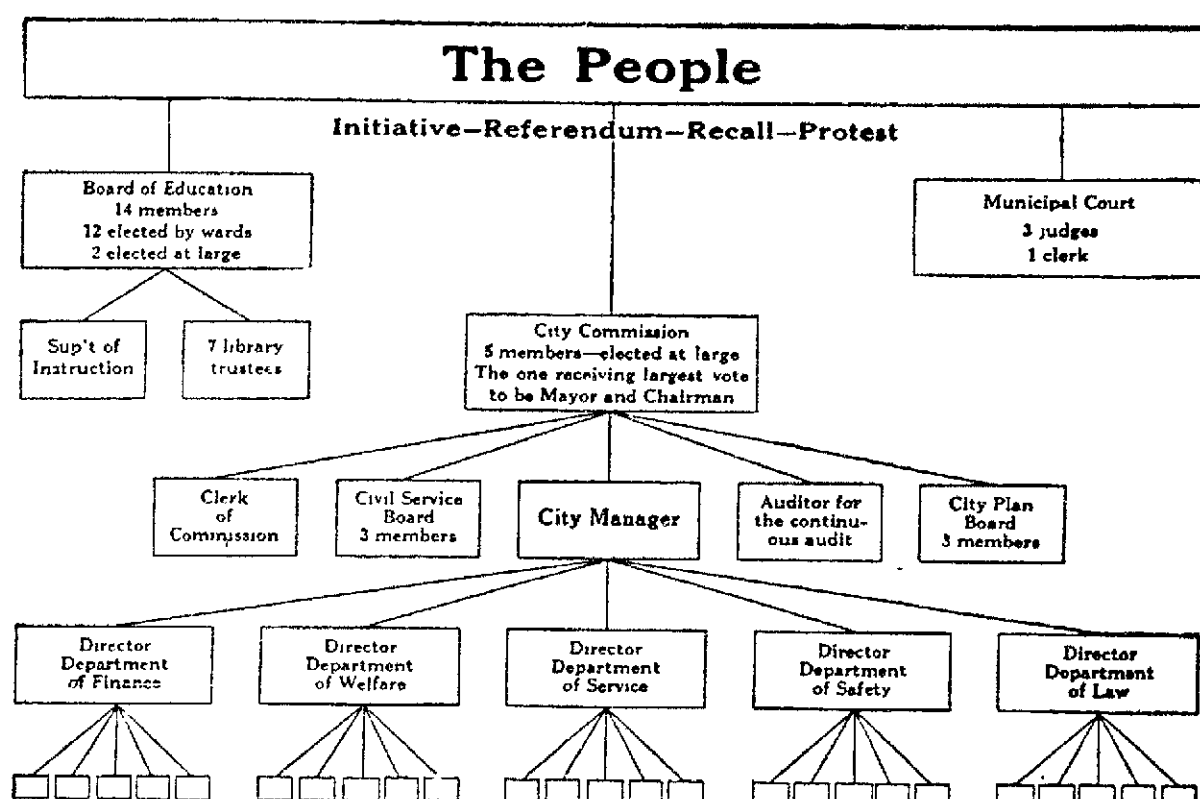
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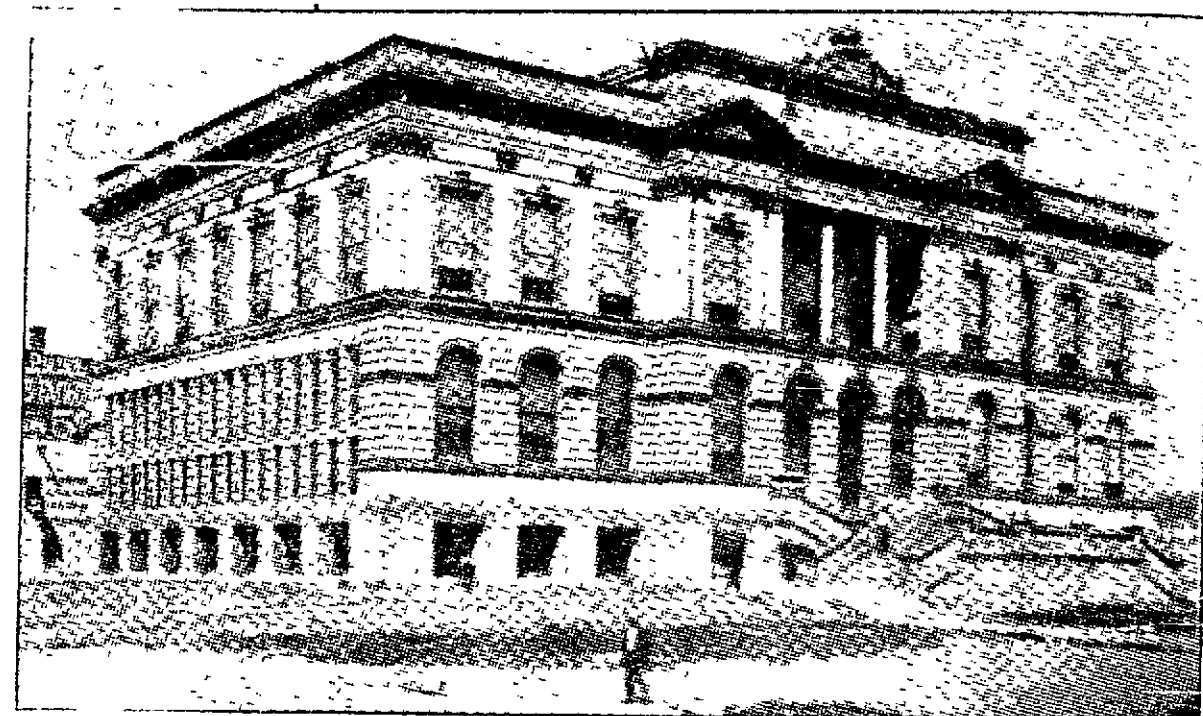


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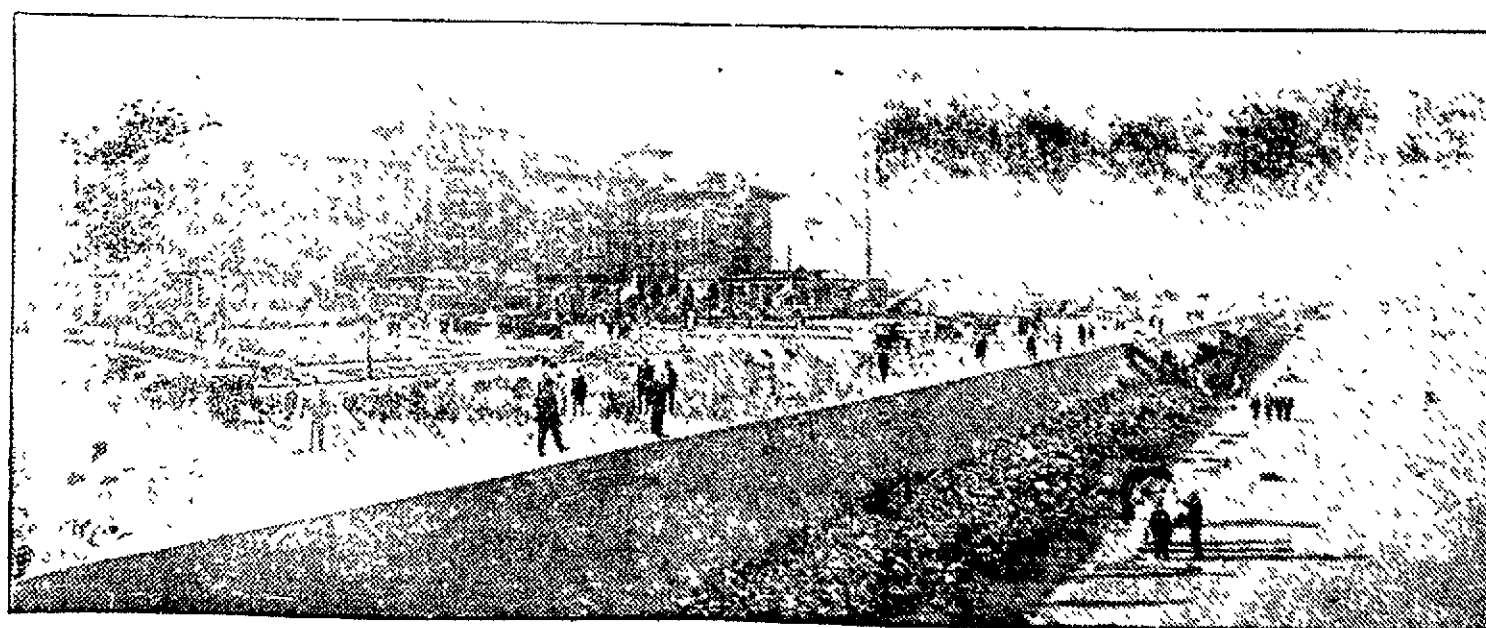
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Prepared a civic center plan.
Established a Civic Music League.
Conducted a great municipal exhibit for the citizens.
Secured universal gas service.
Introduced an eight-hour day for labor.
Made a topographical study of the sanitary and storm sewer system of the city.
Introduced a modern first-class accounting system.
Established a purchasing department.
Established a centralized city storehouse.
Established a police training school.
Introduced a system of traffic police service.
Recovered \$137,000 worth of property out of a total of \$161,000 stolen from citizens in 1917.
Established a Crime Prevention Bureau.
Conducted educational campaign among school children to decrease accidents.
Established a Fire Prevention Bureau.
Motorized the entire Fire Department.
Introduced policewomen in the city service.
Established a women's market board.

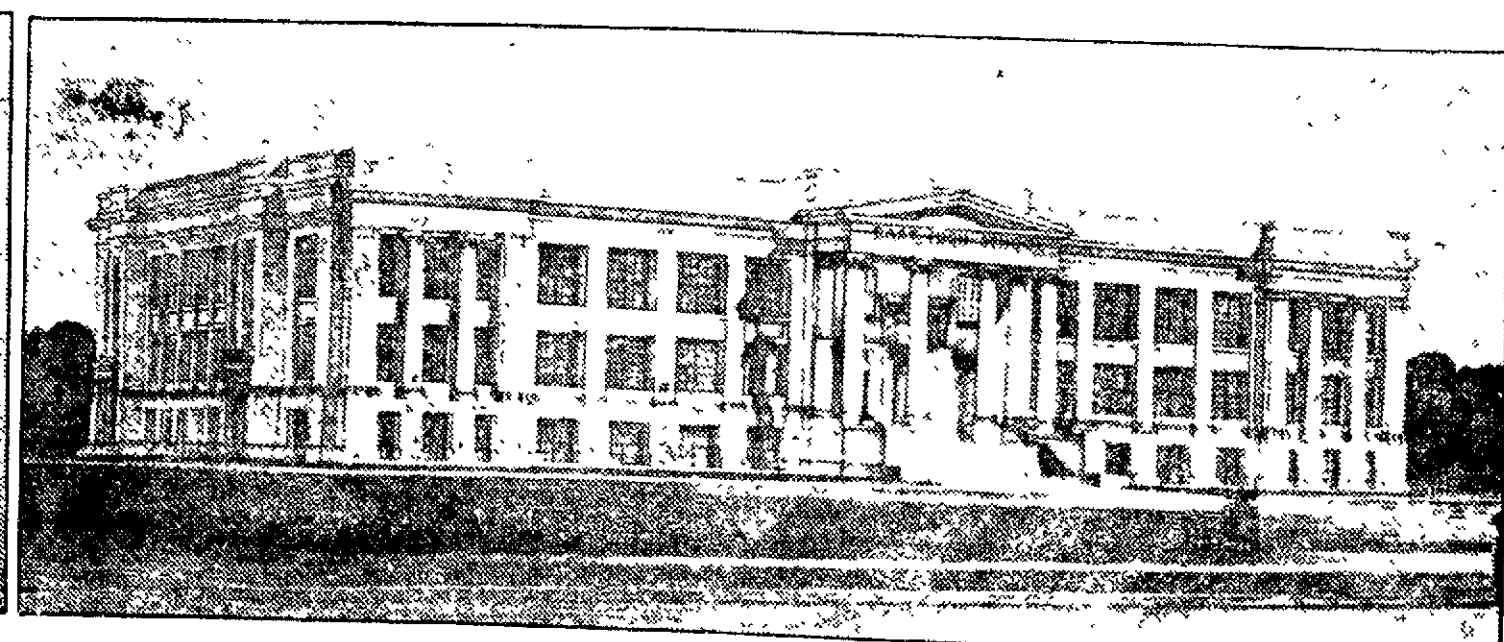
Established a home for dependent girls.
Put into operation a modern building code.
Reduced cost of garbage collection from \$2.60 per ton to \$1.60.
Built a modern garbage reduction plant.
Increased water supply 10,000,000 gallons per day.
Comprehensive plans prepared to provide for future growth of water service.
Established a modern Public Comfort Station.
Built and maintains a city garage.
Increased the quantity of water pumped per pound of coal.
Park area increased in four years from 35 to 520 acres.
Established a Department of Public Welfare.
Built a Municipal Greenhouse in which 35,000 plants were raised in 1917.
Established first centralized public health nursing system ever established in America.
Furnished flowers for the needy sick from city greenhouse.
Secured reduction of infant death rate from 124 per 1,000 to 87.2.
Secured reduction of death rate from 15.6 to 13.7 in 1915 and 13.007 in 1916.
Introduced a staff of five city physicians to serve the needy

sick.
Established systematic inspection of school children.
Introduced a complete food and dairy inspection service.
Established a continuous complete chemical laboratory service.
Conducted campaign for million-dollar bond issue for permanent improvements.
Constructed three new concrete bridges—two finished, the third almost finished.
Began work in giving drainage relief to West Side through partial construction of Dry Hollow Creek sewer.
Bought a correction farm on which a modern system of buildings is being erected.
Secured through prison labor on correction farm in 1917, grain and food in value, \$5,600.
Established a modern parole system in Work House.
Introduced a probation system for work-house prisoners.
During imprisonment 59 probationers earned for themselves and families, in 1917, \$3,060.66.
Conducts this season 2,250 vacant lot and 4,750 children's home gardens.
Supervised home and vacant lot gardens in 1917, which produced vegetables worth \$51,000.

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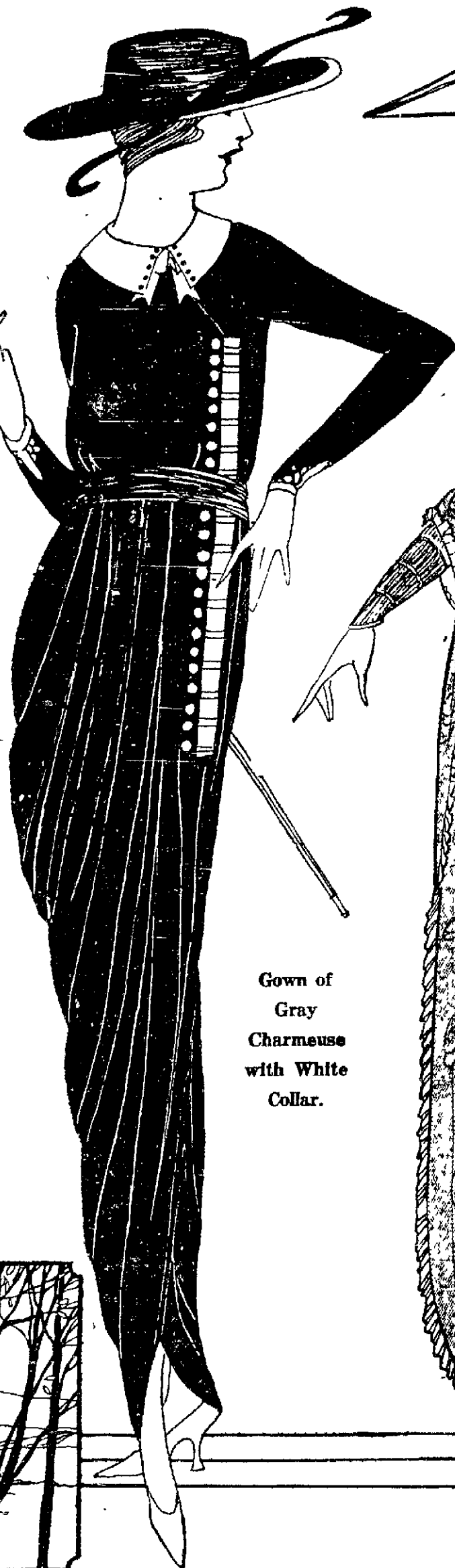
"DAY-TIME DRESSES"

Widely Varied Types That Interest the
Fashionable Women of the New Season



Dress of Gray
Chiffon Over
Flesh Color,
with Green
and Blue
Girdle.

Gown of
Green
Charmeuse,
with Waist
of Green
and White
Striped
Georgette.



Gown of
Gray
Charmeuse
with White
Collar.



Dress of
Pink Flowered
Georgette
with White
Organdie
Ruffles.

By Mme. Frances
The Famous Creator of Fashions

DAY time summer dresses are widely varied now that the twilight hours are so long, thanks to the imaginary hour we advanced last March. The early part of the day is given over to sports frocks or simple silk and voile gowns with organdie fichu or trimmings of lace for the less strenuous person to whom "sports" are not becoming. With the coming of afternoon, femininity begins to think of dressing for dinner with the result that the necks of afternoon gowns are quite low and the sleeves very sheer or quite short.

Georgette crepe in plain ground and flowered patterns is profusely used for these cool, clingy afternoon frocks. Rose, orchid and flesh pink are the favorite colors made up in combination with white. Crepe chiffon, which is the loveliest of the crepe fabrics, makes exquisite gowns for afternoon and evening wear, while charmeuse and meteor in all the pastel shades are exquisite and develop many entrancing frocks.

Organdie and the softer fabrics of batiste and cotton voile make exquisite lingerie dresses which look their loveliest when making a background

for the youth of a pretty girl. Vivid shades of rose and coral organdie are very popular for these girlish frocks, while the demand for pink, blue and orchid never wanes. The imported organdies, which run in lacy squares and stripes, are capable of exquisite development into dainty afternoon frocks of the quaint variety.

There are many tissue-like cottons to which the manufacturers have treated us this year. These sheer materials combine well with white organdie ruffles and are equally lovely with trimmings of Val lace.

Hand-embroidered frocks of white mull and batiste are always attractive when the mercury plays tag with the 100 deg. mark and cool verandas beckon; but these gowns are difficult for the moderately skilled dressmaker to duplicate. Unless an embroidered gown is strikingly lovely in its daintiness or beautiful in the elaboration of its embroidery, it seems a foolish waste of money for the effect achieved. Embroidered flouncings are adapted to some of the models, but flouncing usually has to be made up in a rather set way.

Georgette and Organdie

An interesting gown which combines flowered georgette crepe and white organdie is seen in the model showing the ruffled side panel. In this material white flowers are scattered on a pink ground. The waist of this dress is very simple and it depends upon the beauty of its material rather than on the elaboration of its lines for success. The sleeves are sewed into a plain blouse which is cut away in front to display a vest of hand-tucked organdie which is cut in bands and sewed together by means of tiny cords of organdie. Around the neck and vest line runs a

crisp little ruffle of white organdie, picot finished. The bell-shaped sleeves are cut three-quarter length to display long, tight cuffs of organdie made into tucks and cords to match the vest.

The skirt of this gown is slightly gathered at the waist line. It is trimmed with three folds of flowered georgette which simulates tucks, above which crisply stand ruffles of white organdie. The panels which characterize this skirt are long and rather wide and are edged with organdie ruffles. Wherever these organdie ruffles appear they are machine hemstitched to the georgette crepe with pink thread.

With this picturesque gown is worn a broad hat of pink straw, faced with pink Baronette satin and tied with a ribbon of Baronette.

In Gray Charmeuse

A gown which is in striking contrast to the elaborate effect of the georgette model is found in the dress of gray charmeuse—glimmering, glittering gray charmeuse, one of the loveliest fabrics in the world. It looks like the sheen of moonlight on water.

The neck of this gown is finished with nun-like simplicity by a round collar of white charmeuse, which is brought into striking worldliness by a row of red satin buttons and red bound buttonholes. The gown fastens down the front in an unusual line which runs from the collar to an insert of red charmeuse strapped with folds of white taffeta which gives a bizarre note to the otherwise demure look of this gown. A row of similar red buttons runs down the side of this insert. These buttons and those on the collar and cuffs may be gray with good effect. The girdle of this gown makes no attempt to be striking. It leaves all that to the red charmeuse and simply

performs the office of snugly outlining the waist, with a band of gray charmeuse.

The skirt of gray charmeuse is one of those gracefully draped affairs which are always successful when developed in a supple fabric like charmeuse.

The smart sailor worn with this costume is black with a trimming of stiff gray feathers that curl on the ends.

Another Gown with Side Panels

Another gown which displays side panels is shown in the soft lines of gray georgette crepe. The blouse of this dress is kimono with a deep fold of georgette over the shoulders to outline the square neck and display the front of soft cream lace which extends into a camisole beneath the gray georgette blouse. The sleeves of this gown are one of its cool features, being three-quarter length and quite wide. The deep turned-back cuffs are embroidered with two garlands of steel beads. This same embroidery appears across the shoulder straps. The girdle of this graceful model gives a striking note of color to the whole gown. It is made of two bands of soft taffeta ribbon, one vivid green-blue and the other of grayish-rose. The flowers on the girdle are hand-made from these shades of taffeta with a touch of apple green.

An Unusual Model

The skirt is draped in a gracefully narrow line. On either side hang two sash-like panels of gray georgette about 10 inches wide. These panels are picot edged and embroidered with three rows of leaves in bead embroidery. This gown is made over a slip of flesh-colored charmeuse. With this dress is worn a broad black hat, trimmed with shaded pink roses.

Possibly the most unusual model illustrated

today is shown in the gown of green charmeuse with a waist of green and white striped georgette. There is a bib front of green charmeuse, which reaches to the neck line and from the front view has the look of a jumper, which displays the striped sleeves. This jumper continues into a deep V-line at the back and disappears beneath a girdle of green charmeuse. At the neck line the jumper extends into very long, narrow straps that tie beneath the waist line at the centre back and hang in long ends finished with green chenille tassels. The kimono blouse of green and white striped georgette buttons straight down the back with round ball buttons made of imitation jade. The kimono sleeves are gathered into deep bell cuffs of green charmeuse.

The skirt of this gown is draped in a panier on one side. A broad black hat, faced with satin and trimmed with satin knife-pleated wheels, is the picturesque complement of this striking costume.

The Fashion Forecast

Red hats will be featured in summer millinery—red sailors, red garden sports hats and the more elaborate mushroom shape for afternoon wear. This color note in millinery is especially effective with all white or gray gowns.

One-Fifty-Six West Forty-Sixth St.,
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CLUB AND SOCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

On Wednesday, May 21st, all club women and social leaders of Lima will don the regulation bount and sleeve bands and will be come Salvation Army Lassies for the purpose of aiding the Salvation Army in raising money for its home service fund. Plans have been announced for making of "Doughnut Day" one of the biggest features of its kind ever seen in the city. They have chosen for their slogan "All People Eat Doughnuts All Day," while the national slogan will be "Dollars For Doughnuts," and are organized under the leadership of Mrs. Luan M. Butler, president of the City Federation of Women's clubs. It is expected that a member of the Domestic Science club, one of the Canteen workers and one of the South Side High school will sell the largest amount of doughnuts and have their picture put in the city directory of the Federated clubs of the city. A. W. Wheatley will defray the expenses of the directory, \$200, if these winners will have their picture placed in this book.

The canteen will be on the square, where all the women will fry, and auction doughnuts. Doughnuts a la Pershing the "honest-to-goodness" doughnuts whose praise has been heard everywhere will be popular and they are the original war doughnuts of the Salvation Army without their war paint and in their "civies." The Domestic Science club will tour the city on trucks, and the W. C. T. U. will serve coffee and doughnuts at different centers of the city. At the main street bridge where the passengers on the street Railway change cars girls from the South Side High School with their entertainers will be stationed.

Because of this Salvation Army campaign the activities for the coming week will be very few. Many of the clubs have finished their year's work and have decided to discontinue until the fall season. On Thursday morning at the St. Rose church Miss Maud Mauer, daughter of Felix Mauer, of west high street, will become the bride of Harold McClellan, son of Mrs. Laura McClellan of south Scott street. On Wednesday evening the Elks' club entertain with one of the largest Spring Festivals. The Grand May Festival, Two fifteen piece orchestras will furnish the music and several talented artists have been secured for the entertainment of the guests. There will be a car load of novel favors. Dinner will be served at 8 o'clock followed by dancing at 9 o'clock.

The Michigan University dinner at the Lima club was the largest entertainment during the last week. Many out of town guests were in attendance. Saturday Miss Jeanette James of Columbus, Ohio, complimenting Miss Glenna Morris, who is to be the June bride of Gale Danforth, entertained with a luncheon in the Denmark room at the Lima club. Another enjoyable affair of the week for the younger set was the Stroller Dance Friday evening at the Lima club.

Mrs. Howard Fletcher of Atlanta, Ga., entertained the Wintonia Circle at her home Friday with a "Covered dish party" in the form of a 1 o'clock luncheon. The table was centered with a bowl of spring flowers. In the afternoon the election of officers for the coming year took place with Mrs. W. H. Boush as the hostess. Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell was vice-president and Mrs. W. H. Clark, secretary and treasurer. This was to have been the final meeting of the year but because of the work which is needed to be done for the district name, it was decided to hold another meeting in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Mitchell at 1 o'clock on Sunday.

MONDAY
Sorosis club, Mrs. William McComb, afternoon.
Daughters of American Revolution, Mrs. Taylor, afternoon.
TUESDAY
Workers Class of the Market Street Presbyterian church, Mrs. Hoover, afternoon.
Musical, Trinity church, evening.
Jay Dee club, Mrs. Loy, afternoon.
West End Bridge, Mrs. Parmenter, afternoon.
Brotherhood of the Calvary Reformed church, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rothe, evening.
Loyal Women's class of the South Side church of Christ, Mrs. Fred Mosey, afternoon.
Missionary of the First Reformed church, Mrs. T. W. Hoerneman, afternoon.
Monday Knitting club, Mrs. Henry Delsel, afternoon.
WEDNESDAY
K. of L. S. Card and dance

Eagle Hall, evening.
May Festival, Elk's Home, evening.
W. H. and F. M. S. of the Olivet Presbyterian church, Mrs. H. W. Breese, afternoon.
Missionary society of the Market Street Presbyterian church, Mrs. J. E. Grosjean, afternoon.
Floral Guild, Mrs. E. H. Bishop, afternoon.
THURSDAY
Teachers and aid officers of the First Reformed church, evening.
Ideal club, Mrs. Burgoyne, afternoon.
S. C. D. club, Mrs. H. J. Ellerman, afternoon.
Wisteria club, Mrs. Butts, afternoon.

FRIDAY
Mother Goose party, Ladies Aid of the South side church of Christ, Memorial Hall.
Philathea class of the Central church of Christ, Mrs. Jennings, afternoon.

A musical will be given at Trinity church Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Division of the Ladies Aid of that church, of which Mrs. R. D. Kahle is chairman, for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society. Many of Lima's most talented artists will take part. The following will be the program of the evening:

- 1 Organ—Meditation . . . Frysinger
- To the Wild Rose . . . McDowell
- Miss Nell Kreile.
- 2 Duet—It's So Nice to Be Acquainted.
- Miss Glenna Marie Hobart
- Master Charles King.
- 3 Vocal (a) Transformation . . . Robert Franz
- (b) Spring and Love . . . Robert Franz
- (c) In the Woods . . . Robert Franz
- 4 Piano—Serenade . . . Sadowski
- Mrs. J. E. Dexter.
- 5 Quartette (a) Songs Mother Taught Me . . . Devoak
- (b) Sleep, Little Baby of Mine . . . Devoak
- Mrs. Joe Davison.
- 6 Reading—Selected.
- Mrs. Winona Vinson Forrer.
- 7 Duet (a) Over the Heath . . . Noth
- (b) A Mat Morning . . . Devoak
- Miss Violet Lewis, Mrs. Alene Kahle Mowen.
- 8 Piano—Opus 28 Ioniques . . . Arensky
- Paena . . . Arensky
- Miss Esther Ligh.
- 9 Solo—(a) Oh That We Two Were Maying . . . Noth
- (b) The Wren . . . Liza Lehman
- (c) Nothin' But Love . . . Noth
- Mrs. R. E. Negley.
- 10 Chorus (a) Serenade . . . Hawley
- (b) Ashes of Roses . . . Woodman
- (c) Spring Song . . . Matthews
- Soprano, Mrs. Evans, Miss Lewis, Miss Philebe, Mrs. Banta, Mrs. Schoonover, alto, Mrs. Mowen, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Urie, and Mrs. Kahle.

The S. C. D. club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. H. J. Ellerman of south Elizabeth street.
Mrs. Harry Webster, who has been making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bowman during Mr. Webster's service in France, will leave Monday for Akron, where Mr. Webster is employed by the Phoenix company. Mrs. Webster will be accompanied by her mother.
Mrs. Harry Burgeon of Bellefleur, will entertain the Ideal club at her home Thursday afternoon.

The Philathea class of the Grace M. E. church Sunday school met with Miss Flora Stemen, 404 south Pierce street Wednesday evening May 14. The usual business was transacted after which the officers for the ensuing year were elected: Bertie Carry, president; Ruth Hoover, vice-president; Naomi Copp, secretary; Vera Waltz, treasurer; Lucille Walters, pianist; Belle Flower Fund Treasurer Belle Glaze; Collector, Grace Reichelderfer; sick committee, Edith Marshall. Other members of the sick committee are Cora Wilkins, Mary Basinger and Mrs. Bradigan. At the close of the meeting a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

The next meeting of the class will be held June 4th at the home of Goldie Adams at her home 536 south Pine street.
Sunday afternoon many of the members of the St. Paul Lutheran Sunday school gathered at the home of Ira Newell on Shawnee street, to show their appreciation of his faithfulness, his promptness and earnestness while he was superintendent. To emphasize this appreciation Mrs. C. F. Mook, in behalf of the Sunday school presented him with a beautiful silk umbrella advising him to use the gift for a "shield against 'Termites' and 'Sunshine'." Remarks by members of the Sunday school were very interesting. Miss Bonnie Linn presided at the piano while a number of hymns were sung. The remainder of the afternoon was then given over to a general good time.

The following Monday evening twenty women of the same congregation gathered at the home of Mrs. C. F. Mook, the former teacher of the Cotta Class to express their high esteem and love for her. Mrs. H. F. Reel, speaking for the class, presented Mrs. Mook with a dozen attractive hand painted plates. At the close of the evening of entertainment, delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Kuisely are announcing the birth of a seven pound daughter, Thursday, May 22. They have given her the name of Catherine Bluma Kuisely. Mrs. Kuisely was formerly Miss Minerva Bluma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Blum.

On Wednesday afternoon twenty-five members of the Woman's Missionary society of the St. Paul Lutheran church motored to the home of Mrs. R. C. Stockton, of Shawnee township. After a short business session the lesson on Mission work was discussed. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

TRICOLETTE REIGNS SUPREME FOR DRESS



By ELOISE.

Last season the jersey frock was hailed as the most fashionable kind of garment but this year we hear scarcely a word about it. There will probably be little jersey wear save those frocks left from last year and a few sport suits which always are made of that practical material. Tricotelette seems to be the fabric which reigns supreme this season. Last spring it appeared as a novelty, but people were too busy with the war to notice it much and it was not until it came out in full force recently that people took up the new silken stuff seriously. But what welcome it has received! Vests, collar and cuffs, capes, suits, frocks and all manner of trimming are of beautiful shades of tricotelette. There is scarcely a wardrobe which has not a bit of the shimmering stuff in some shape or form.

The afternoon frock of tricotelette is much more the fashion of the hour than that of georgette or taffeta. How long it will remain in vogue is a question for it is difficult to wear. One must have no semblance of a Venus-like form but must be of pencil-like proportions to gracefully wear the fabric. This smart afternoon frock pictured is a tailored mode of canary colored tricotelette. It is trimmed with white silk fringe and covered with buttons. The fringe is applied in rows on the skirt at the hem and at the hips. The collar is faced with white tricotelette and also trimmed with rows of the white fringe.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Olivet Presbyterian church will hold its May meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Breese, of 333 south Metcalf street, Wednesday afternoon.

The Philathea class of the Central Church of Christ will meet Friday at

ternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Jennings, of 827 Richie avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval McClure, of Bellefontaine avenue, entertained with a dinner at their home Thursday evening. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. John Ripley, Miss Ruth Reimer, Dare Thompson, and the host and hostess.

Miss Florence Wells of west Circular street, has received word of the safe arrival from overseas of Frank Reipenoff of the 322nd Artillery of the 37th division.

The Floral Guild will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Bishop, of south Elizabeth street.

The Worker's Class of the Market Street Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. J. Hoover, of 529 south West street.

Mrs. S. C. Butts, of 907 Richie avenue, will entertain the Wisteria club at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Blackburn has returned to her home in Bellefontaine, after a several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brennan, of north West street.

There will be a called meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the Taylor home, 742 west Spring street, Monday afternoon. They will also do sewing for the Belgian Relief.

Carl Lockhead, of 303 east Vine street, is spending the week end in Delaware with his sister, a graduate from Ohio Wesleyan University this year.

Misses Edith Burkhardt, Alvina and Emma Kettler, of St. Marys, were Thursday visitors in Lima.

Mrs. Eugene Martin, of St. Marys, is the week-end guest of friends in Lima.

Miss Mary Cave, of Van Wert, is spending the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. Fannie Becker, of Lima, is the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Becker, in Delphos.

The last winter dance of the Stroller's club was given Friday evening at the Wayfarer club. Next month the series of summer dances will begin being given at McBeth park. About 50 couples were in attendance Friday evening. Music for the dancing which started at 9 o'clock and continued until 12 o'clock was furnished by a jazz orchestra.

The Missionary society of the Market Street Presbyterian church will hold the "Foreign Thankoffering" meeting at the home of Mrs. J. E. Grosjean, of 112 north McDouel street, Wednesday afternoon, May 21st at 2:30 o'clock. The following interesting program will be given:

Devotionals . . . Mrs. W. B. McClaren
Report of the Presbyterian meeting by delegates
Paper . . . Our Missionaries in New Mexico . . . Mrs. Elmer Andrews
Song . . . Mrs. R. O. Wood
Reading . . . Mrs. Roy Banta

The social hour will be in charge of the 3rd division with Mrs. J. B. Poling as chairman. All the women of the congregation are invited to attend.

Mrs. Howard Chapman and Mrs. Otto Freeman were hostesses to the members of the Jay Dee club at the Chapman home on north Collett street Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Roy Hartsing carried away the club prize and Mrs. Foster the guest prize. The only guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Sharpe and Mrs. Foster.

Tuesday afternoon the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Barr, on Linden street, with Mrs. Clait Loy as assistant hostess.

Mrs. B. Harper and daughter Mrs. Clarence Reil are leaving Sunday for Hunter, Ark., to visit with Mrs. Harper's sister, Mrs. G. M. Alterman. They will motor as far as Ft. Wayne with Mr. C. Reil.

Mrs. W. L. Parmenter of west Market street, will entertain the West End Bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Florence Moore and May Robert tendered a surprise "kid party" to Miss Dorothy Easley at the Easley home on west North street Thursday evening. The evening was spent with games characteristic of little children and at late hour a delicious luncheon was served. Dainty little service sets of paper hand painted with dainty pink roses were used. Favors were on hand painted nut baskets.

Guests included: Misses Ethel Simpson, Kemp, Ellen Basinger, May Stansberry, Francis Easley, Mrs. Easley and the honored guest.

Miss Marian Dunn, of the Shawnee Road, informally entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner at the Lima club Thursday evening, complimenting her houseguest Miss Faye Harrison, of St. Paul, Minn. Covers were laid for: Miss Harrison, Miss Mildred Eddy, Miss Dunn, Benjamin Motter, Joe Gooding and Ralph Mackenzie.

Miss Clementine Richie, of Cincinnati who has been the guest of Mrs. O. B. Selfridge of west Marhomo.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Wagstaff of New Hampshire, have returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sink, of east Eureka street.

Mrs. Lou Roberts of Wapakoneta, visited Friday with her sister, Miss Rose Burton, who is a patient at the St. Rita's hospital here.

The Ladies Aid society of the South Side church of Christ will present a Mother Goose play at the Memorial Hall Friday evening, May 23. Mrs. Marie Ballou Garin of Cleveland, noted director of juvenile characters, will be the supervisor. The children taking part will range from the ages of 3 to 6 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood R. Lindesmith of Lincoln, avenue entertained with an informal dancing party Friday evening. The Lindesmith home was made attractive with ferns and potted plants. A program of 16 dances was enjoyed and at a late hour delicious refreshments were served.

The University of Michigan association of Lima composed of Auglaize, Allen, Van Wert, Putnam, entertained with a banquet Friday evening at the club. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock.

The banquet committee composed of Clarence H. Klinger, James Hill, Jr., Ralph Mackenzie, Holmes, Harry Workman, Benjamin Motter with Ralph Austin as chairman, were in full charge of the affair.

Officers of this association: Davis J. Cable, president; Ralph Kenzie, vice president; W. B. I. treasurer; Benjamin Motter, secretary, and Rev. J. Allen Canby, advisory representative. The executive committee include: Oliver Steiner, Dr. Alan Kugler Merritt, Judge Kent W. H. Donald Melhorn, Kenton; J. Leasure, Ottawa, and W. H. D. Van Wert.

Dr. Arthur Cross, professor of European history at the university gave the principal address of evening. In 1914 Dr. Cross published a history of Great Britain England which is now being used in thirty-five colleges and is generally conceded to be the best one volume history at the present time. He is an accomplished speaker and has a wealth of wit and humor.

Covers were laid for: W. B. K. W. L. Parmenter, Miss Standish, Judge Kent Hughes, Dr. E. G. I. ton, Judge M. L. Becker, Rev. Allen Canby, Dr. Oliver Steiner, Judge S. A. Armstrong, Judge Geo. H. Quail, James J. Weadock, O. O. Barr, Dr. Allan Kinsley, Leonard Merritt, Dr. M. J. Longworth, Walter C. Parmenter, Dr. Paul J. Stuber, Ernest W. Botkins, Christian Morris, Fred Gooding, Clarence Klinger, Ralph Mackenzie, Benjamin Motter, James Halfhill, Jr., Harry Workman, Branson Harley Holm, Ralph W. Austin, Joe Gooding, J. J. Murphy, Solon E. Burks, Earl Ludwig, Dr. J. B. Vail, all this city.

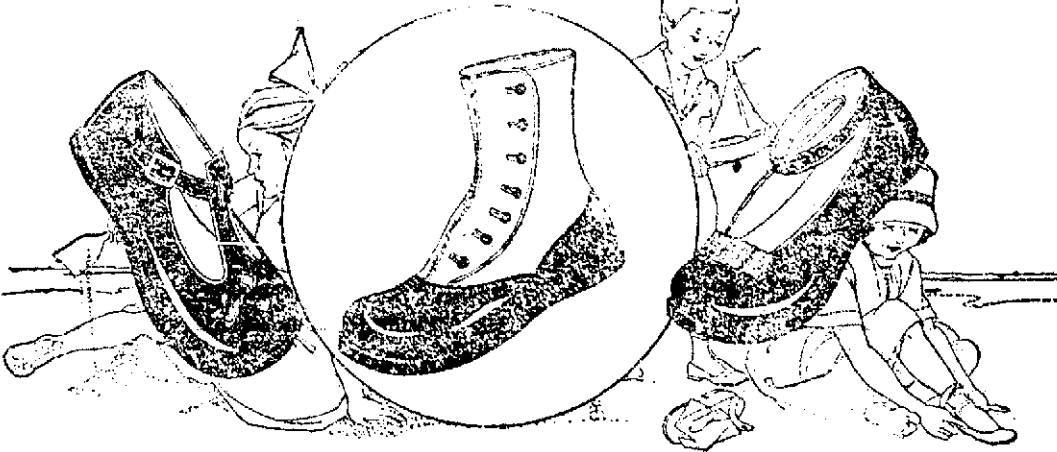
Out-of-town guests were: B. M. Compton, of Dayton; Dan Armstrong, St. Marys; Robert Kenzie, Montana; Ernest Armstrong Mullensburg, O.; William Lutzinger, Edgar Hauenstein, Bluffton; An. Hauenstein, Bluffton; Dr. E. Thomas, Findlay; Dr. C. W. Schroeder, Bellefontaine; W. H. Dailey, Van Wert; Oral J. Myers, Celina; B. Myers, Celina; and James Leason, Ottawa.

Mrs. S. K. Herckerman, of west North street, was hostess to a circle of friends at her home Friday evening. Guests all being members of the Twentieth Century club, Miss Hel Basinger entertained with several clever readings and the evening was spent in social chat and a general good time.

Mrs. Fred Beam, charmingly entertained the members of the Monday Knitting club at her home on west North street Tuesday. Sewing was given out for the visiting ladies. The time was spent with bridge and needlework. Mrs. Fetter, of Per Indiana, Mrs. John Thomas and Mrs. E. N. Bellitz were the only guests.

The Missionary society of the First Reformed church will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. T. W. Hoerneman.

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We pay \$1.00 for each jingle sent in to us which we use and offer a prize of \$25.00 for the one we consider the best.

Try today to see how catchy a verse you can write.

All we ask is this,—that with every "jingle" sent in there shall be sent a Golden Sun Oval cut from a package of Golden Sun Coffee.

Every member of your family compete for this prize, but must send a Golden Sun with each "jingle".

Send all in before July 1st. The money will be sent as soon thereafter as possible, and the name of the winner published in this and other papers.

Address, Jingle Department

Woolson Spice Company, Toledo, Ohio

Society

Continued

Mrs. Floyd Mathers, of 1120 east Wayne street, was pleasantly surprised at her home Thursday evening by a number of friends. The time was spent with music and social chat. At 10 o'clock a delicious luncheon was served.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. Mathers and two sons, Lester and Alva; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dill, and two daughters, Letha and Fay Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Golden, Mr. and Mrs. Oak Hoover and daughter Maxine; Mrs. Reichelceiser and daughter Lula; Misses Ola Ivans, Clayton Metheany, Josin Diel, Daisy Diel, Miss Bowsher, Miss Vera Bech, Miss Rhea Beck, Miss Flossie Rupp, Miss Clara Broege, Mrs. Julius Echeimer, Ref Owen, Leo Madison, Miss Flossie Aldrich, Gilbert Clay and Mr. Brown.

Mrs. Wollett, of west Kibby street, entertained the Social Circle club at her home Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were made attractive with Spring flowers. After a short business session music and a floral contest was enjoyed with Mrs. E. Heffner as prize winner in the contest. At the tea hour the hostess served a two course luncheon assisted by Mrs. G. Tremper and her daughter Miss Florence. This was the final meeting of the year and the club will discontinue until October.

Mrs. R. H. Ebersole and family, left Wednesday for their cottage at Minawakee Island, Indian Lake, where they will spend the summer.

The K. of L. S. women will entertain with a card party and dance at Eagle Hall Wednesday evening.

The final meeting of the Sorosis will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William McComb, of 226 north Pierce street, with Mrs. O. J. Rose as assistant hostess.

Tuesday evening, May 20th, the Local Women's class will hold their monthly social meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Mosey, of 511 east Vine street.

Mrs. Leta Leggett, team captain of the Allen Review of the Lady Macabees entertained the guards Tuesday evening at her home 177 east Circular street in appreciation of their splendid work at the State convention, May 9th. Two commanders of this review were the honored guests of the evening. Music and contests furnished the pas-

time of the evening, after which delightful refreshments were served. Guests included: Mesdames Moffett, Reynold, Watkins, Heath, Pratt, Wallace, Bailey, Macdonald, Craig, Westham, Montague, Taylor, Wallace, Bowsher, Sauter, Whitehead, Wollett, Mowery, Roeder, Swaney, and Sporhour.

The Young Ladies Circle of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. George Niehafe, of 312 west North street. This is the first meeting in two months. A splendid program has been prepared and all members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Markley, of west High street, was hostess to the T. W. club at her home Thursday afternoon. Social chat, music and contests furnished entertainment for the guests. In the contests Mrs. Burphardt and Mrs. Schuller were awarded prizes. Tea was served at 5 o'clock.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Cummings, of Richie avenue.



FOR the sweet girl graduate whom you want to remember and whom you want to remember you, here you'll find gifts to her liking. Delicately designed brooches; exquisite lavallieres; bracelets; rings; silver ornaments; and a complete showing of famous ELGIN WATCHES—trustworthy, time-enduring timepieces—a life companion of the recipient. Let us show our suggestions to you.

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Help Her Carry On

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MAY 19 TO 26

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PROMPTLY AT 9:30

Feldman & Co.

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PROMPTLY AT 9:30

The date for our removal to our splendid new store is drawing near. It is our hope to be in our new location to welcome you before June 1st. That our moving may be facilitated to the utmost, all surplus stock must be closed out. To accomplish this

OUR GREAT REMOVAL SALE
STARTS MONDAY AT 9:30

When we had our Removal Sale for Winter Merchandise in February, the great crowds that attended the sale was substantial proof of the co-operation of our patrons when we announce a bargain event. Now is your opportunity to again share in a bargain feast that will supply you with spring and summer needs. Good merchandise in many instances at HALF PRICE AND LESS.

UNTIL WE MOVE WE OFFER 10% OFF
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Laces and Embroideries

Lace Flouncings in white and ecru, 18 to 45 inches wide. Formerly 65c to \$2.50 per yard. For this sale, per yard, 29c and..... **69c**

Fancy Lace Edgings and Insertions in white and ecru. Formerly 10c to \$1.00 per yard. For this sale, per yard, 5 yards..... **10c**

Fancy Lace Edges and Bands in white and ecru. Formerly 50c to \$5.00 per yard. For this sale, 25c, 50c and..... **98c**

Embroidery Bands, Insertions and Medallions. Formerly 25c to \$8.50 per yard. For this sale, per yard, 10c, 25c, 50c and..... **98c**

Corset Cover Embroideries and 18 inch Embroidery Flouncings. Formerly 35c to \$1.50 per yard. For this sale, per yard 19c and..... **39c**

Embroidery Flouncings, in 27 and 45 inch widths. Formerly 75c to \$5.00 per yard. For this sale, per yard, 39c and..... **98c**

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Lace Allovers and Fancy Nets in white, ecru and colors, 18 inch and 36 inch widths. Formerly 50c to \$1.75 per yd. For this sale, per yard, 19c and..... **69c**

Neckwear

Bengaline Collars of white satin and colored organdy. Values up to 69c. For this sale..... **19c**

Cowl Collars—satin with chiffon pleating. 50c and 69c values. For this sale..... **38c**

Satin Cowl Collars and Georgette Collars. Formerly 98c and \$1.25. For this sale..... **68c**

Chiffon Pleatings in popular colorings—now in big demand. 59c and 65c values. For this sale..... **28c**

Buttons and Snaps

A lot of Pearl Fish Eye Buttons in several sizes. For this sale..... **6c**

Our best 10c Snap Fasteners in black and white, all sizes. For this sale..... **6c**

10% Discount

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Corsets

Front and Back Laced Models, medium bust. Sizes 20 to 34. Were \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.50. For this sale..... **\$2.00**

Low Bust Models, in several popular makes. Sizes 20 to 34. Values up to \$2.50. For this sale..... **\$1.39**

Yarns

Knitting Worsted in grey, 11 pound skeins. For this sale, per skein..... **25c**

Shetland Yarns in skeins. Special, per skein..... **8c**

Beads

Fancy Bead Necklaces, popular styles. Formerly \$1.00. For this sale..... **50c**

Fancy Bead Necklaces, attractive styles. Formerly 69c. For this sale..... **33c**

Miscellaneous

Popular Bags in velvet, silk and leather. Odds and ends.

Values up to \$5.00—now..... **\$1.98**

Values up to \$2.50—now..... **\$1.39**

Hair Nets, made of human hair. Fringe and cap shape, 10c and 15c values. For this sale, per dozen..... **65c**

Stationery—correspondence cards and initialed paper—odds and ends. For this sale..... **12½c**

Ladies' Silk Gloves, in black with white and white with black stitching. Mostly all sizes. Values up to \$1.00. For this sale..... **42c**

Men's Kerchiefs in khaki color, 15c, 19c and 25c ones. For this sale, 5c and..... **10c**

Ladies' Kerchiefs with white and colored embroidered corner, 10c ones. For this sale..... **6c**

Chiffons and Georgettes—10 in. wide, in pink, light blue and mile green. Slightly faded. For this sale..... **79c**

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SOME OF THE MANY SPECIALS
DURING REMOVAL SALE

Hosiery

Men's Fibre Sox in black, white and palm beach. Values up to 50c. For this sale..... **28c**

Men's Cotton Sox in black, white, navy, tan and grey. 25c values. For this sale..... **18c**

Ladies' Fibre Hose with life top. Large variety of popular colorings. Includes black and white out size, in all sizes. Values up to 89c. For this sale..... **48c**

Ladies' Fibre Plaited Hose in black, white and navy, in all sizes. Values were up to 50c. For this sale..... **27c**

Ladies' Cotton Hose in white. Special for this sale..... **12½c**

Ladies' Silk Hose with seamed back and seamless foot, in all the popular shades, all sizes. \$1.25 values. For this sale..... **88c**

Children's Colored Listles and Black Fibre Hose. Mostly all sizes. Extra value. For this sale..... **33c**

Underwear

Ladies' Muslin Underwear—Bloomers, Gowns and Envelope Chemise. Values up to \$1.39. For this sale..... **88c**

Ladies' Union Suits—odds and ends in lace, tight and shell lace styles. White and pink. For this sale..... **39c**

Values up to \$1.00. For this sale..... **59c**

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Ladies' Gowns, Envelopes and Petticoats. Values up to \$1.60. For this sale..... **\$1 19**

Girls' Panty Waists, of good quality muslin—embroidery trimmed. Sizes 2 to 14. Formerly 59c. For this sale..... **45c**

Misses' Lace Knee Union Suits. Sizes 4 to 16; good 50c value. For this sale, 35c, 3 for..... **\$1 00**

Children's Summer Vests, high neck and short sleeves. 25c value. For this sale..... **18c**

Petticoats

Ladies' Fancy Petticoats of black cotton taffeta, with various colored designs. \$1.25 values. For this sale..... **95c**

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It will be to your interests to attend this sale every day.

THE MORE YOU BUY THE MORE YOU SAVE.

Household Hints

MENU HINT

Breakfast
Steamed Prunes in Rhubarb Syrup
Corn Flake with Top Milk
Jelly Omelet. Toast
Coffee
Luncheon
Fresh Caught Fried Pike
Lemon Slices
Warm Baking Powder Biscuit
Fresh Rhubarb Sauce
Tea
Dinner
Tomato Soup with Young Green Onions.
Round Steak
Cakes Baked with Cabbage Leaves
Fresh Vegetable Salad
French Dressing
Cherry Jello with Whipped Cream
Sweet Waters Coffee

TESTED RECIPES

Steak Cakes—One pound ground round steak, two cups rice, which is hot and steamed; eight to twelve good clean cabbage leaves, celery or onion for seasoning as desired, with salt and pepper. Two tablespoons drippings or butter. Select a good small cut of steak with some nice creamy colored suet. Grind it yourself, removing sinew. With it grind four stalks of celery or two green onions, or both are good, as desired. Mix all ingredients with rice. Form into balls. Wrap with two to three cabbage leaves season slightly. Tie with string to hold shape. Place in a greased pan and add one-half cup of boiling water, a little at a time, to make gravy. Bake at least five times while baking in a moderate oven for twenty-five to thirty minutes, as desired.

Combination Vegetable Salad—One cup watercress, five green onions; slit, one tomato, sliced; one-half cucumber, sliced; let stand in chill ice water thirty to forty minutes; ten small radishes, leaf or head lettuce. Chill and thoroughly cleanse all ingredients. Arrange lettuce on plate. Arrange cress, tomato, cucumber daintily among the leaves. Cut back radishes. Hide one or two in lettuce. Lay one or two onions at side of each salad plate. Serve with French dressing. Dash of paprika.

Tomato Soup—One pint can tomatoes, two teaspoons sugar, one-fourth teaspoon salt, tiny pinch soda, two tablespoons corn starch dissolved in cold water, one and one-half cups boiling water, one-half cup milk, hot; two green onions, sliced as fine as possible; two stalks of inner celery or one large outer, sliced fine as possible; three to five tablespoons, as desired, rice, steamed; steam tomatoes, add boiling water, sugar, drippings, onion, celery, rice. Simmer fifteen minutes. Thicken with cornstarch. Sprinkle in soda. Cool slightly; add milk or half and half is very good and makes soup more

creamy. Remove, season, salt, pepper. Serve with croutons.

YOUR GARDEN PRODUCTS

Vegetables just out of the garden taste best when simply cooked — steamed, boiled or baked — and served with a little salt, butter, milk or cream. Often a heavily seasoned sauce covers up the more desirable vegetable flavor.

Overcooking of vegetables impairs their flavor. Very delicate flavors are destroyed, while vegetables with strong flavors, such as cabbage or onions, becomes disagreeably strong if cooked too long. Overcooking also destroys the attractive color of some vegetables.

Cook summer vegetables as soon after they are gathered as you can. In order to preserve the flavor. If they must be kept over, keep in the ice box or some other cool place. Let wilted vegetables soak in cold water to freshen them. If vegetables must stand after paring, covering with cold water will prevent wilting and discoloration.

RECIPES FOR A DAY

Potato Pie—Line a deep greased pan with mashed seasoned potatoes an inch thick. Fill in with chopped meat, bits of left over ham, beef from a soup bone or any scraps of meat on hand. Add a minced onion, salt and pepper to taste, and enough brown gravy or sauce to moisten well. Cover with potato, smooth and mark as any pie. Bake till brown in moderate oven. Serve in same pan. Use old potatoes in these made dishes because at this season they have lost their freshness and taste better when used in combination with meat or some other vegetable of more pronounced flavor.

Lettuce and Onion Salad—Wash and dry the lettuce, moisten with mayonnaise (arrange on salad plates). Cut medium sized onions in thin slices and soak in very cold water half an hour. Pull the rings apart and arrange on the lettuce leaves. This salad makes use of the old onions and the lettuce adds the fresh green which makes it attractive to both eye and taste. Any bits of left over canned vegetables, such as cauliflower or string beans, may be moistened with the mayonnaise and added with the onions.

Pineapple Turnovers—Make plain pastry dough, roll thin and cut into four-inch squares. Dip in a can of crushed pineapple, saving the juice for sherbert and sauces. On each square put a large spoonful of pineapple, a small piece of butter and a spoonful of granulated sugar. Fold the squares into triangles, pinching the edges firmly together so that they will not come apart in the process of cooking. Fry in deep fat and serve warm, dusted with powdered sugar.

SENSIBLE FLAT-HEELED SHOES THE RULE, AND SHORT, FAT UMBRELLAS ARE MODISH



By ELOISE

Nothing so perfectly illustrates woman's "emancipation" and "advancement" as the shoes of the present day. The high, thin heel which we have so long called the French heel is no longer in good taste. This is something to give thanks for. Well dressed women of today no longer teeter along our avenues and into shops in the senseless fashion we have endured all these years.

Nowadays small feet are out of the running and we are demanding good, sensible, common sense shoes. Not only demanding, but getting, for this is a sound business principle followed the world over—"give 'em what they want." Of course the psychology lies first in "making 'em want it" whatever it may be.

Proof of this is to be noted in the new wxford ties to be worn this summer. Last season those shiny, high and spindling heeled oxfords were the fad. The oxford is with us again as the fashionable shoe for summer, just as shiny as to leather and just as pointed as to toe, but not so high as to heel.

Now of course there are times when one demands the most "dressed up" shoe possible, and this need too

able in the shops. To prove that the oxford is the thing here they are two pair to one of pumps. The walking shoes below are brown leather and white suede with corrugated rubber soles. They are the proper thing for wear on the spring walks in the country or on the summer beaches. The all white canvas oxfords at the right are the smartest kind of footwear for the summer sports use. They are worn with white silk novelty hose which has green silk clover leaves embroidered on the instep. The pumps at the left while not as popular as oxfords are still the accepted thing for dress wear. They are exquisitely made colonial pumps of white kid. The rain sticks for this season are very different from the long tapering ones of the past years. They are short and decidedly large as to handle. Those pictured below have quaint china handles of blue rose and yellow design. They are either rain or sun shades.

INVITATIONS OUT FOR COMMENCEMENT

The Senior Class is making fast preparation for the period when they say farewell to the days that they have spent as students of Central High school.

Invitations to the effect that graduation will be held this year on Friday, June 13, have already been received. The affair in all probability will take place at the Central Hi Auditorium, instead of at the Memorial Hall as in previous years. The class this year will be composed of 125 members. At a class meeting last week it was decided that the boys will wear white trousers, and the affair to be made as plain as possible. Final exams for the Seniors will take place during the week of May 26.

ALUMNI AT BANQUET

Lima graduates of the Michigan university, sixty in number attended a banquet of the alumni association held at the Lima club Friday night. The occasion was the first pre-war dinner of the society. Out-of-town members were included. Ralph G. Mackenzie, vice-president presided in the absence of President D. J. Cable.

Wedding Presents

All young couples appreciate gifts of Table Silver. And they can never really have too much of it. Tableware makes a most practical and acceptable gift for such an occasion.

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The doctors are all for it.

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CHIROPRACTIC

THE SCIENCE WHICH ELIMINATES THE CAUSE OF DISEASE

Health Hints

BY

GLENN V. JOHN D. C., Ph. C

CHIROPRACTOR

GRADUATE OF THE PALMER SCIENTIFIC COURSE

OVER **KRAFT'S** 5 & 10 MAIN 1848

Between HIGH ST. and PUBLIC SQUARE PHONE:

Appendicitis

It's Cause and How Corrected

APPENDICITIS means "Inflammation of the Vermiform Appendix."

Symptoms

Possibly the bowel will become constipated, following with excruciating pain in the lower right section of the abdomen slightly superior to the middle section of the groin.

Having such severe pain the patient fixes the right leg toward the thigh to lessen the degree of pain; and when the attacks come frequently the patient is unable to straighten out the leg. Patient may show signs of collapse if case has progressed.

The Cause of Appendicitis

It's cause is found, according to clinical deductions from the Palmer Clinic, to be due to a vertebral displacement in the lower region of the spinal column; usually the 2nd or 3rd lumbar vertebrae from which there is a degree of tenderness traceable along the course of the nerve to the area just over the Appendix.

The vertebral Displacement causes pressure on the nerves that supply the appendix with functional activity. Thus when there is disorderly function in that area we know it to be due to a pressure on the nerve somewhere which clinically we have found to be in the lower region of the Spinal Column.

How My Adjustment Corrects the Cause

By scientifically giving a Spinal Adjustment on the vertebrae involved, pressure is relieved on the nerve leading to the appendix, function is restored to the tissue forming the organ, INFLAMMATION and PAIN ceases and PAIN ceases and restoration of Health is the result.

My Chiropractic Adjustment is considered the most scientific Spinal Adjustment known to the profession and is recommended by the greatest living authority on Chiropractic Art and Science, viz. Dr. B. J. Palmer.

Try the Health Science which Eliminates the CAUSE of such conditions as Appendicitis.

DO IT NOW before your condition becomes chronic.

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In most cases in comparison to the results the patients have received under the attention of other health modes.

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THINGS CAN NEVER BE THE SAME

clear to him that he must hold himself in leash and not forget himself again. I will tell him he not only must forget, but he must make you

F. A. Burkhardt entertained Friday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner at his home on west Elm street, com-

SUNDAY MAY 18, 2 P.M.
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INVITED
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SEE BOTH SHOW WINDOWS FOR DISPLAY
OF ROSEMARY DRESSES

When a Girl Marries

By ANN LISLE

I don't suppose anything ever written ever came any nearer the heart's truth than the ages-old phrase, "All the world loves a lover."

So in the midst of our worry over Betty, nothing moved us more deeply than the little cry in her letter, "Be good to Terry while I'm gone." Virginia's eyes had filled over when I read that aloud, and Anthony Norreys had set his jaw hard. And that gave them their right to know about the letter I was—as Anthony Norreys had said—"crooning over like a little mother."

"It's from Terry; will you read it, Mr. Norreys? I'm sort of—hoarse," I said.

Again the understanding smile—for my "hoarseness," then he read Terry's note to Virginia.

"Dear Sister Anne—I can't find her. I can't find a clue to her whereabouts. Shall be in the city

again directly—early Friday morning. I should say, unless something turns up here. In that case, I'd get you on the wire. Can't you do something? Just get word she's safe. If we can see her again, unhurt, safe—our own Betty, I'll stand the gaff if she sends me about my business without a kind word. I promise. Only help me find her, Anne. I seem so helpless, such a blooming idiot, that if I didn't have you to help, little sister, I'd go off my head. Well, I have you to help. Right! See you and Jim Friday. Tell him to get busy. Betty may need us. Well, we've got to find her. "T. W."

Anthony Norreys looked up from the note, and far away before he turned his eyes to us.

"Shall we go up to your apartment, Anne?" he said very gently.

It seemed so right that he should say no more than that. It seemed so right that he should call me "Anne." We three were sharing the revelation of a big and honest thing—a devoted love—and we three were praying that we weren't on the verge of sharing a tragedy.

We rode up in the elevator without speaking, but Virginia's hand found mine. Betty had made us friends. I saw suddenly how everything Betty touched became pure gold—true and fine and big like her. And I knew what—even at the cost of seeming cold and heartless—I owed

to Betty.

In the living room I faced Virginia and Anthony with my decision.

"We'll telephone to Greyfriars Hall and speak to Miss Moss. But we mustn't go down today. It's Terry's right to be the first to see her."

Virginia stiffened and stared at me. I saw our delicate new friendship wavering in the balance. Her voice was cold—the Virginia I had always known and feared answered me.

"You may wait for morning, Anne. But if Betty is at Greyfriars Hall, I'm going down to see her at once. Will you go with me, Tony?"

I broke in before he could answer—this must not be a matter of taking sides, and I felt instinctively that Anthony Norreys would see the thing as I did.

"Virginia, we both love Betty. We're her new friends, but her best friends for all of that, I'm sure. The mail comes earlier downtown here than up at your place, but I'm sure you'll have a letter from Betty, too, today."

Virginia flushed, but not with anger, as she interrupted me abruptly.

"Surely you don't think I'm so petty or jealous as to mind that you've heard from her and I haven't? I'm proving how I feel by wanting to go straight down to her, while you romance along and want to wait till tomorrow."

"Will you call Greyfriars while we decide what to do?" I asked Anthony Norreys.

At once he turned his back on us and busied himself with the telephone. He could have managed Virginia with a forceful word, but he was generous enough to leave my fight to me.

"Jeanie, I'm sure Betty loves Terry," I said picking my way carefully lest I betray any of the confidence which Terry, breaking through his great natural reserve, had given me. "I'm sure that she loves him, and hasn't ever dared acknowledged it to herself. Jim said once that she was ghost-ridden, remembering her dead husband, and that he wasn't worth it. This seems like Terry's chance—and hers."

"I thought they were just good friends, like Sheldon and me," said Virginia ingenuously.

But I started a bit at this sudden intrusion of Sheldon Blake into our conversation. It seemed as if he were playing a real part in Virginia's thought—her life even.

"Terry's note tells you how much more than friends he wants to be," I replied. "If he comes to her first of all now, she may be startled into realizing the truth. She cares. Won't you give her the chance to find it out, Jeanie?"

Anthony Norreys turned with his hand over the mouthpiece.

"I have Greyfriars Hall. They're connecting me with Miss Moss, who is there with Mrs. Bryce—our Betty. What message shall I give her?" he asked.

"Oh, let me speak to her. Let me speak to her!" cried Virginia, darting forward to take the receiver from his hand.

(To Be Continued)

Tobacco Habit Dangerous

TOBACCO HABIT DANGEROUS says Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital. Thousands of men suffering from fatal diseases would be in perfect health today were it not for the deadly drug nicotine. Stop the habit now before it's too late. It's a simple process to rid yourself of the tobacco habit in any form. Just go to any up-to-date drug store and get some Nicotol tablets; take them as directed and lo! the pernicious habit quickly vanishes. Druggists refund the money if they fail. Be sure to read large and interesting announcement by Doctor Connor soon to appear in this paper. It tells of the danger of nicotine poisoning and how to avoid it in the meantime try Nicotol tablets; you will be surprised at the result.

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From signed statement of Norman Rosenquest, New Springfield, Ohio, July 10, 1918.

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We ask you to put FAMO to the most exacting test. Have a member of your family examine your scalp before you start the use of FAMO.

Apply FAMO daily for one month. Have your scalp examined again. If they do not report the growth of new hair, return the FAMO bottle to where you purchased it and you will receive your money back.

FAMO DOES grow new hair luxuriantly. It makes the hair fluffy and soft. FAMO intensifies a natural tendency to waviness and retards grayness. It contains no harmful alcohol to dry the scalp and produce gray hair.

Every woman should use FAMO regularly. Its use is a daily habit you will enjoy.

But not only does FAMO beautify the hair. FAMO kills the deadly seborrhea microbe which is the cause of dandruff.

It stops all itching of the scalp and nourishes and feeds the hair roots.

It penetrates the scalp without massage and gives life and sheen to the hair.

FAMO was evolved by scientists in one of the famous laboratories of Detroit.

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The ingredients in FAMO have never before been used on the head.

But they have been well known to medical science for many years. They work differently from any other hair preparation.

FAMO stands alone. If your hair is thin and lacks lustre and the dandruff scale causes constant irritation of the scalp, you should start the use of FAMO at once.

It destroys the dandruff bacilli. FAMO is sold at all toilet goods counters in two sizes—35 cents and \$1. The dollar bottle is extra large and contains four times as much as the smaller size.

Applications of FAMO may be had at the better barber shops and hair dressing establishments.

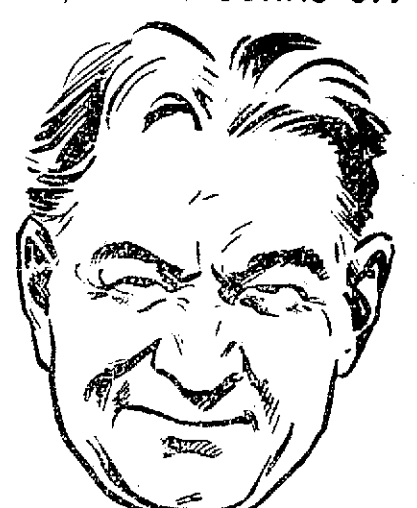
Seborrhea is the medical name for a morbidly increased flow from the sebaceous glands of the scalp. The seborrheic secretion forms in scales and flakes and is commonly known as dandruff.

Mfd. by The Famo Co., Detroit, Mich.

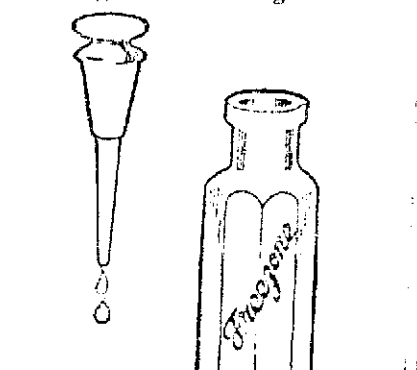
Hunter's Drug Stores
Special Famo Agents

OUCH! CORNS!

LIFT CORNS OFF



Doesn't hurt a bit to lift any corn right off with fingers



Choosing a Wife

Buying a pair of glasses is like picking a wife, not all wear well that look well. Our glasses both look well and wear well.

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The DEISEL Co.

Lima's Big Store

WHAT IS A SELF-SERVICE STORE? You can answer this question yourself after visiting our new basement store—Credit costs money—Delivery costs money—Clerks cost money—always, approvals, C. O. D.'s, all cost money. And all of these items must be added to the selling price. In our Self-Service Store you save all these extras. You buy at practically wholesale prices.

COME MONDAY—SEE WHAT YOU SAVE IN OUR

Self-Service Store

Ladies' \$2.50 Silk Waists; colors white, pink and salmon, embroidered in blue and white. Basement Price **\$1.79**

Boys' 75c Play and School Blouses, in black sateen, blue chambray, white with colored stripes—a durable, well made garment, at a very low price **38c**

Infants' and Children's Half Hose, a well made cotton Hose, in sky blue, 4 1/2 to 8 1/2. Self-serve price..... **14c**

20c Ladies' Vests, all sizes. Specially priced at **16c**

\$1.39 Rainbow Sheets, size 81x90; fine quality **99c**

We have a few Houses Dresses; sizes from 32 to 52. **\$1.23**

Men's 15c Half Hose; black and champagne **9c**

Women's 85c, fine quality Cambric Drawers; embroidery trimmed, an exceptional value **59c**

Women's 75c Corset Covers; good quality cambric and lace embroidery trimmed. Pink and blue ribbon. Self-serve price **47c**

Boys' \$1.75 Wash Suits; colors blue, white and tan, trimmed and plain collars and belts—each **\$1.15**

Women's Cotton Hose, ribbed tops and hemmed tops — values to 20c. Priced special at **9c**

MRS. STRATTON IS BETTER IN EVERY WAY SHE SAYS

She Especially Rejoices Over the Way Nerv-Worth Overcame Her Rheumatism.

This truly remarkable statement was made at the Butler Drug Store, Lima.

"I would get up in the morning and by 10 o'clock rheumatism would be so bad I would have to lie down. It was inflammatory rheumatism. Bedfast six months. In April rheumatism was so bad I could hardly walk. Have taken one bottle of Nerv-Worth and am able to get around without rheumatic pains."

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Lima Nerv-Worth Drug Stores: Butler's, Main and Kibby; The Central, Main and Ellet; Everybody's, Main and Vine; Neighborhood Agencies—Huttinger's Drug Store, Beaverdam; Central Drug Store, Wapakoneta; J. H. Walmshoff, Delphos; Central Drug Co., Versailles; McGaslin's Drug Store, Kenton; Powell's, Marysville; Bellefontaine, Preiss, Sullivan.

YOU HAVE A Short Pay?

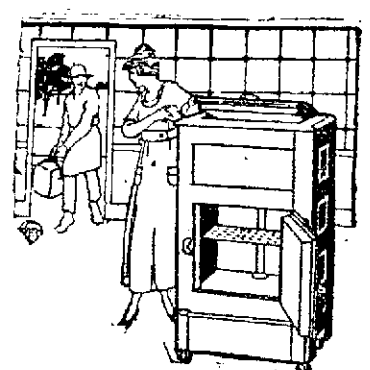
You can get money from us and pay it back when work picks up.

Easy payments and low interest rate. Phone us to have our agent call at your home.

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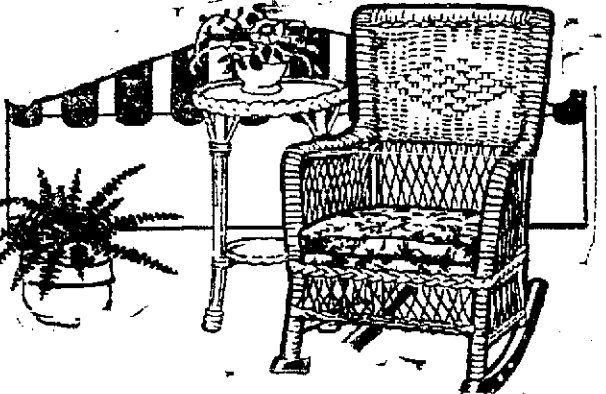
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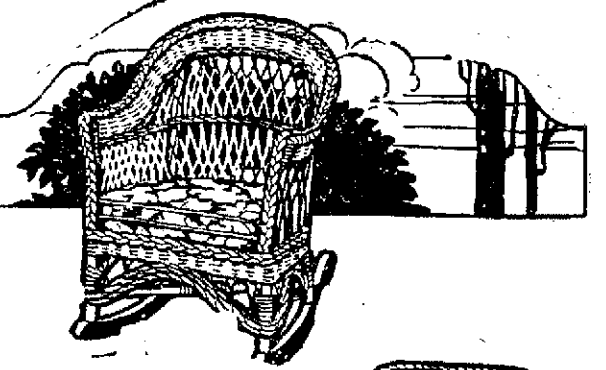
THE selection of a good refrigerator is a serious proposition, unless you select one from a reliable firm. The Challenge Refrigerator is guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or your money back. Ask your iceman which is the most sanitary and easiest to clean refrigerator, they will say: Buy the Challenge. Come in—we have all styles and sizes.

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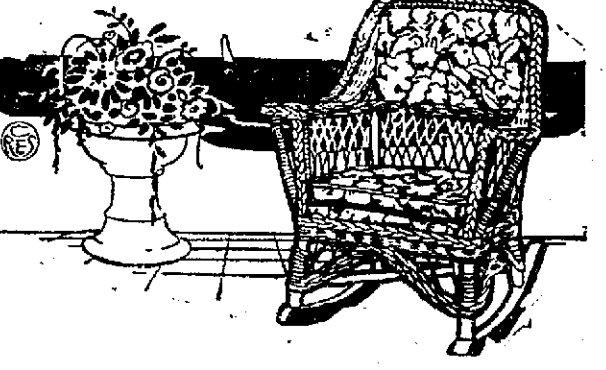
AN exquisite display of Karpen Fibre Porch and Sun Parlor Furniture. The Rocker pictured on the right is a comfy, well made piece of furniture, will give years of service.



This handsome rocker is one of those graceful well-made kind, has double spring cushion, your choice of Creatone or Tapestry



This particular rocker has attracted great attention—everyone likes it and it's reasonable price places it in the reach of all. Why not come in and make your selection now.



REED FLOOR LAMPS—we just received a large shipment of reed and silk floor lamps—all specially priced this week—"June Brides attention."

Hoover-Bond Co.
THE STORE OF THE PEOPLE

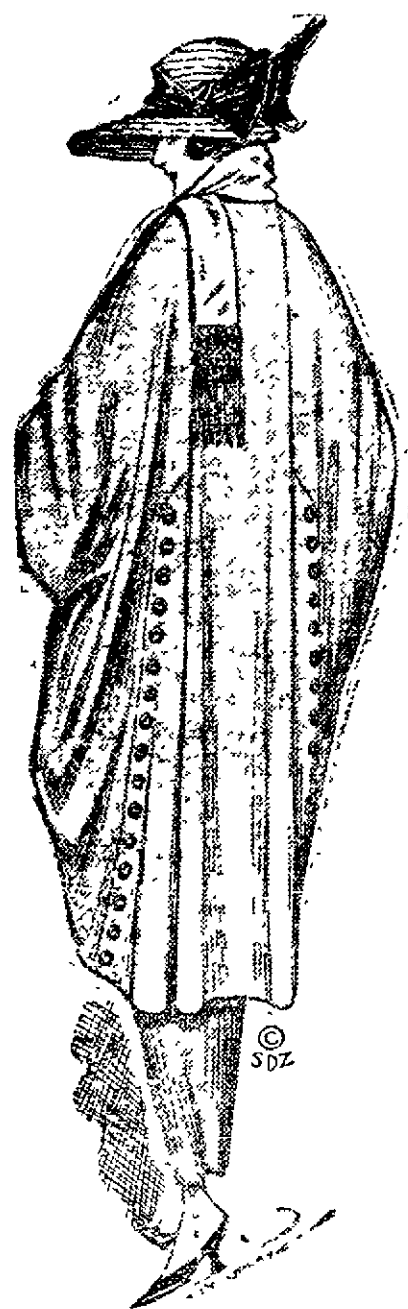
16-18-20 PUBLIC SQUARE

THE PERIOD STORE

Monday is the Second Day of Our Great Spring Drive

You Are Invited to Share in the 10% to 50% Saving in This Great Spring Campaign For 5,000 New Customers

JUST FOR MONDAY



We Offer
**50 Women's
DOLMANS**

--At--
\$29⁵⁰

Formerly Priced at
**\$39.75, \$49.50,
\$55.00**

Not until you examine the fabrics, the linings, the tailoring and note the wonderful swagging style will you realize fully what wonderful values they are. Silvertones, Crystal Cords, Evoras, Velours and Bolivias; many fully lined with fine fancy silks. Every fashionable shade is represented. sizes 16 to 44.

—ALSO—

100 Finely Tailored Suits

AT A MERE FRACTION
OF THEIR REAL WORTH

Chiefly custom tailored Suits of the better class, of elegant fabrics and unquestionable tailoring. The prices have been so sharply reduced that they are brought within the reach of all. Colors chiefly navy. Styles chiefly strictly or severe tailored.

A Manufacturer's Sale of WHITE WASH WAISTS **\$4.35**

\$5.90 to \$9.00 values. Because they were a manufacturer's show-room samples, they were purchased a bit less than regular. Some are very slightly soiled; made of fine pre-shrunk gaberdines and fancy weaves, in white, all very remarkable values. Regular sizes.

"ARNOLD" ELECTRIC WASHERS

ARE GIVING SATISFACTION IN
HUNDREDS OF LIMA HOMES

Spring Drive **\$67⁵⁰**
Price

Banish wash day drudgery via the Electric Washer route. The joy and satisfaction of owning an "Arnold Washer" can not be exaggerated. Once considered a luxury for the few, now priced within the reach of all, and proven a saving investment in the time, and hard work they save. The "Arnold" has no superior. We invite comparison with machines selling at any price. The Arnold is sold under a rigid and binding guarantee.

NEW DRAPERIES and CURTAIN NETS

The great Spring Drive offers a wonderful opportunity to secure the best and newest in Draperies, Curtain Nets, Cretonnes, Curtain Swisses, Marquisettes, etc., at saving prices. Thousands of yards of new draperies have just arrived. All very specially priced.

10% Discount on Well Known Brands of Corsets

During this sale one may select one's corset from any of the following well-known makes at 10% less than regular price: Henderson, Royal Worcester, Bon Ton, Nemo, or La Princesse. Our entire stock is included. Expert fitting without charge.

Are There 50 Women in Lima Who
Wear Coats in Sizes 44 or Larger?

If So, Here is Your Reward for Waiting--

FOR MONDAY ONLY

A SALE OF LARGE SIZE COATS

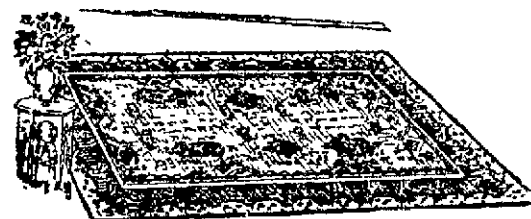
Consisting of finely tailored straight line belted and fitted coats in the finest of Serges, Poplins, Poirer Twills, Tricotines and Gaberdines in plain dark shades. Some are unlined, some half lined, some full lined; even at regular prices these garments are wonderful value at Monday's special prices; the values are marvelous. The sizes are 44 to 50. Monday's prices, **\$17.88 to \$39.75**. The colors navy, black, taupe, grey and tan.

Wash Goods and Domestics Have Contributed Largely to Make This Spring Drive a Great Success

There is no better section by which to judge the real character of a store than at the Domestic or Staple wash goods department. Standard, well-known brands of merchandise means dependability, real values, merit and honesty. Here are the world's famous brands of high grade merchandise at real savings.

36 in. Scout Percalé, 200 patterns, 25c value.	19c
36 in. "Punjab" Percalé, best made, 35c value.	29c
27 in. Lancaster Apron Gingham. Special	17c
27 in. Bates or Toit du Nord Dress Gingham, 35c value.	29c
36 in. Standard Madras Shirting, 35c value, yd.	25c
Clark's O. N. T. Thread, all sizes and colors, 6 for 25c or, dozen.	48c
36 in. Standard Bleached Muslin, 22c value.	14 ¹ / ₂ c
36 in. Cotton Challies, new designs, 29c values.	19c
36 in. Curtain Nets, Filets and Marquisettes, 50c values.	39c
27 and 30 in. Cretonnes, new patterns, 35c to 49c values.	29c
36 in. Madras Curtain Material, 49c values.	29c
36 in. Aledo Chiffon Silk, all colors, 50c value, yard.	44c
40 in. Vassar Plain Color Voile, 50c value.	44c
45 in. French Finish White Voile, 75c value.	49c

Buy Room Size Rugs at Spring Drive Prices--Save 15 to 35%



Great shipments of rugs have arrived during the past week, already and in stock now they await your choosing. Rugs offered during this sale are new patterns in standard makes. Rugs you know, Rugs we have sold for almost 20 years in Lima. Our prices bear comparison.

9x12 Extra Quality Wilton Rugs	\$77.50
9x12 Bunder Wilton Rugs	\$69.75
9x12 Finest Axminster Rugs	\$47.50
9x12 Extra Quality Seamless Ax. Rugs	\$39.75
9x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs	\$33.75
9x12 Best Quality Brussels Rugs	\$26.75
9x12 Second Quality Brussels Rugs	\$19.50

We Announce For Monday Another Sale of Neponset Floor Covering

Neponset is the ideal floor covering for every room in the house. It is made in patterns of various designs. Neponset is strictly water-proof. "Neponset" lays flat on the floor, will not crack, will not rot.

This special demonstration sale price is 20% below regular. It will be a good time to stock up with Neponset now.

69^c
Sq. Yard

The Finest Capes and Dolmans

We have seen
this season

-At-
\$17⁸⁵

Values \$25.00
to \$39.50

Smart styles, soft pure woolen fabrics and a wealth of all the spring time shades will make this lot of about 100 Capes and Dolmans change hands rapidly Monday, because many of the styles are actually individual, one of a kind styles. They will be much wanted by those who care for distinctive garments at a saving.



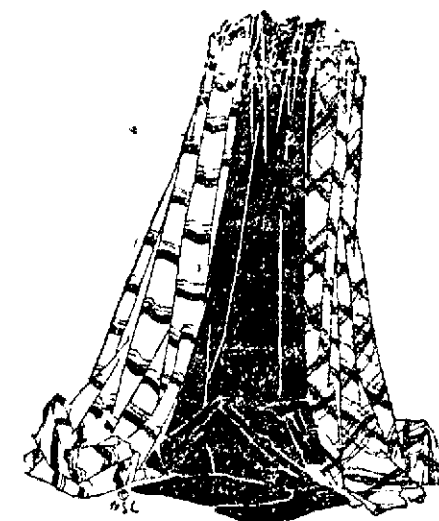
—ALSO—

Marked Reductions on Children's Coats Savings of 10 to 25%

A good time to fit out the kiddies—Coats and Capes, really smart styles at really low prices. Every child's coat in the house has been re-marked for final clearance, sizes 2 to 14 years.

Dress Goods and Silks

At even Lower
Prices



Contrary to our expectation prices on silks and woolens for the fall season are rapidly advancing. Prices, instead of being lower will be much higher than now. Here's the opportunity of the season to save on desirable staple silks and woolens.

40 in. Printed Crepe de Chine, all colors, \$2.75 value, yd.	\$1.98
40 in. Silk and Wool Poplin, all colors; special	\$1.84
40 in. Georgette Crepe, every color, \$2.25 value.	\$1.69
40 in. Heavy Crepe de Chine, \$1.98 value.	\$1.69
36 in. Fancy Plaid Taffetas, \$2.50 value.	\$1.87
36 in. Heavy Satins, all colors, \$2.50 value.	\$1.98
36 in. Serge, all colors, \$1.19 value.	.69c
42 in. all wool Pacific Serge, all colors, \$1.50 value.	\$1.19
36 in. Wool Mixed Plaids, 75c value.	.47c

Lower Prices on High Grade Springs and Mattresses

\$18 "GOOD NIGHT" SPRINGS; SPECIAL GUARANTEED FOR 25 YEARS.	\$10.95
45-pound Reversible Mattress, Imperial edge; fancy art tick, very special.	\$7.75
50-pound Combination Mattress. Special	\$8.75
45-pound Special Combination, consists of 60% cotton felt and 40% sea moss; fine tick, Imperial edge.	\$12.75
Very special 45-pound pure cotton felt, best art tick, roll edge, one of the highest grade mattresses on the market.	\$14.50

Watch Papers For Daily News Concerning This GREAT SPRING DRIVE--New Bargains Daily

10% Discount on New
Tweeds, Motor Coats

Men's and Misses' Sizes

R. T. GREGG & CO.

Hy-Art-Silk Petticoats
\$3.85

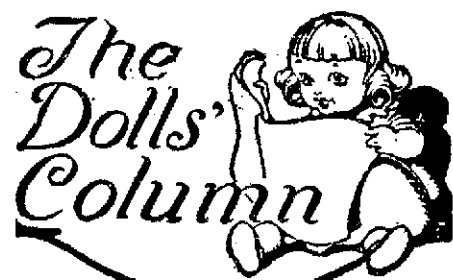
Real \$5 values, plain and changeable taffetas, with wide flounce and elastic fitted waist bands all colors.



FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

BY RUTH PLUMLY THOMPSON

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Cooking Class

THIS is just the kind of weather when cookies taste delicious, so I propose you make some.

Jumbles are lovely, and this is how you make them: Rub together one-half cup of butter and one-half cup sugar. Add two eggs (well beaten) and one cup flour, sifted with one-half teaspoon baking powder. Flour the board, roll the dough rather thin, cut with a small tin lid, roll in sugar and lay on a greased tin. Bake ten minutes in a fairly hot oven.

Doctor Dollby

Says that a lot of dollies always catch cold on Decoration Day. Do be careful of them. It is not warm enough yet to sit on the ground or to go without coats, especially in the cool of the evening.

Vacation Hints

Now is the time to get the trunks and suitcases down out of the doll attics and air them out, for it won't be long now before they will be needed. See that the trunks and hangers are all in place, so that when the time comes to go away you won't have to worry.

Doll-dom News

Demima Rag Doll has a very severe burn on her arm. She tried to throw a flapjack up in the air like the chefs do in the windows, and it landed on her, of course.

Ted E. Bear fell in the bathtub and is spending the week-end on a line in the cellar—drying out. It is a very uncomfortable experience.



Well-Known Wills—

Will-o'-the-Wisp

WILL-O'-THE WISP is a faerie man who dances about at night, and fills the moors and meadow lands with a thousand twinkling lights.

About Bowwows and Such

I READ a funny joke about a well, suppose I tell it to you, and then you'll know what it is about. A little boy was asked what a groundhog was. He said it was a sausage! What do you think of that?

A good many bowwows are going away for the summer and spend a good bit of their time reading of the mountain and shore resorts. As one dog remarked to me, he really enjoyed traveling, but felt very much hurt to be regarded as baggage. Perhaps some time a better mode of transportation for bowwows will be devised. Until it is, be sure to make the little or big traveler as comfortable as you can. The baggage master will usually see that he has a drink of water every once in a while, if you suggest it.

These are days when Madam Fuss needs watching. Feed her well, so she will have no excuse for hunting birds. Every cat should have a bell fastened to her collar to warn the little feathered folk of her approach. The fatter birds are so busy marketing for their new babies that they have no time to watch their old enemy, and we must help them.

It is dangerous to tie dogs to the porch. A bowwow I know nearly hanged himself. She saw a cat and jumped off the porch, and swung round and round on the rope to which she was tied. Fortunately, some one heard the noise and rushed for a time, otherwise the story would have had a very sad ending.

The Forgetful Poet sends the following verse, which I trust you will look over and then overlook: Said one little boy to another: "Do you like Mutt'n Jeff?" Said the other little boy: "Never tasted it, but I like mutton stew."

The Forgetful Poet's Riddles

LAST week's flower answers were ivy, poppy, tulip, pansy, larkspur, marigold, foxglove, phlox, daisy, orchid—and that is all period.

He wants to know this week whether a birdhouse has wings. Ho! Ho! isn't he ridiculous? And—

What kind of sack does the Sand Man carry?

What is dactylology? (I think you'll find this in the dictionary.)

Something that little girls play with and part of a fish will give a marine creature.

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One sings
And one blows,
And one was worn
By queens—and those

Of fashion long ago,
They all
End in a word that's
Very small.

A word that's small
And rhymes with pale;
Now you can guess it
Without fail.
(Can you not?)

How Johnny Rabbit Got to Be King!

THIS happened long ago, when kings were more fashionable than they are today—long, long ago in the jungle kingdom. Mr. Lion was king at that time, and though all the animals obeyed the laws of the jungle and minded what he said, still there wasn't a one of them who didn't think he himself would make a better king.

King Lion often heard them talking together, and sometimes he got so tired of hearing what they all would do if they were in his place he almost wished he could take a vacation. But when he heard the way they meant to run things he would shake his head and decide for the good of them all he must be king a little longer.

Of course the other animals did not know old King Lion heard them plotting to get the crown, and they often wondered why he was laughing behind his whiskers when they bowed so politely each time he passed, or said, "Yes, gracious highness," and "It shall be done, your majesty," and other things they did not mean at all; and they wondered why they never succeeded in getting the crown. No matter how carefully they planned, something always went wrong.

One day when they were quite sure that King Lion was away on a hunting trip they had a meeting, a regular revolutionary meeting, and each one stood up and told how he would be a king. The monkey said he would wait until King Lion was asleep and then steal his crown. The elephant said he would follow King Lion to the river and while he was drinking push him in, and then fish the crown out of the water with his trunk. The tiger thought he could spring on the lion from an overhanging branch and overpower him. The wolves, towards that they are, would all attack him at once and then—as the elephant whispered to the tiger—fight among themselves for the crown.

There was not an animal in the whole jungle kingdom who had not some plan for getting possession of King Lion's crown. And every one told his plan with a great deal of pride—all but the little rabbit.

He said he would like nothing better than to be king for a while, but he reckoned he'd keep his plan to himself if the others didn't mind. The animals sat back and laughed and laughed. The idea of Johnny Rabbit as king was too ridiculous, and how could such a timid, little creature get the better of a great, big, roaring lion? Johnny let them laugh, and then as they could not all very well be king he suggested that they draw lots to see who should try first.

The animals had not thought about their all not being able to be king, and after a good bit of quarreling agreed to take turns. Mr. Elephant, being the largest, was to have the first try; then, if he was unsuccessful, Mr. Tiger; then Mr. Monkey; then Mr. Cobra; then the wolves, and all the others in their turn, and Johnny Rabbit they put on the very end of the list.

He pretended to be very much discouraged, but went home chuckling, for this is exactly what he had hoped would happen and it fitted into his plan "perfectly," as he told Mrs. Rabbit. Then he advised her to get herself a new dress, so she could be queen, and Mrs. Rabbit laughed even more than the other beasts of the jungle. "Go along with you and bring me some wood to cook supper!" she ordered. "You're not king yet."

That week was a very busy one for King Lion, as you can well imagine. He had not been hunting at all, and knew all about the plans of his subjects—so when the elephant tried to push him in the river, and the monkey stole his crown, and the wolves cut him up, and the cobra to tie himself into a knot around his neck, he was all ready for them.

So let the monkey get his crown and start up the tree. Then he seized him by the tail and pulled him down, and what a shaking he gave him. Just as Mr. Elephant rushed at him to push him into the river he stepped aside and kersplash went old Mr. Elephant himself into the mud.

He fixed up a big pit, and covered it all over with leaves. Then he lay carefully on top of it and waited for Mr. Tiger. And sure enough Mr. Tiger sprang down from above. Mr. Lion leaped aside, and down went the bad old fellow into the pit, where King Lion kept him for two days.

The wolves and the cobra came next, and all the rest of the animals in their turn—and all of them King Lion caught and punished, all except Johnny Rabbit. He did not know Johnny Rabbit's plan, so he could not prepare for it.

Poor old King Lion was so tired he just sat all lopsided on the throne and groaned, and Mrs. Queen Lion tied his head up with a red handkerchief and fanned him with a palm leaf. Just as they were sitting thus along came Johnny Rabbit. He walked smartly toward them, and his fur was brushed till it just shone. When he was right close to the throne he took off his hat and bowed politely.

"Mr. King," said he, "will you give me your crown and scepter for a few days? I'd like to be king of the jungle." Mr. King Lion sat up with a jerk, and stared at Johnny Rabbit, and the queen fainted entirely away. Johnny stood very quietly while all this happened, and when the queen had been revived and the king had stopped laughing he put out his hand expectantly, and—any words alive! if old King Lion didn't take off his crown and drop it over Mr. Rabbit. It slipped down to his feet, and stood up all around like a fence.

"You're the bravest of the lot, and because you chose the simplest way of all

you shall be king for a few days," said old Mr. Lion.

"I need a rest and I'll go hunting," he added with a roar of delight. Mr. Johnny King Rabbit didn't seem a bit surprised at the way things had turned out, and as he was as wise in ruling the kingdom as he had been in his plan for getting the crown, everything went well, and after that King Lion made him sort of assistant king and Mrs. Rabbit was kept busy being lady-in-waiting to the queen.

A Funny Name

THERE are a good many long names flying about these days, but this is the longest and funniest I have ever heard, and I hope the Indian prince to whom it belongs has a nice short nickname, for imagine having folks call you the Maharajah of Bikanir, Colonel H. H. Raj Rajeshwar Navendra Shiromani Sri Sir Ganga Singh Bahadur! This prince, by the way, is representing India at the Peace Conference, and is a brave and excellent gentleman. I guess he would like a name like Tom Jones or Teddy Brown quite as well as the long, long one he has to sign to his letters. Maybe he abbreviates it. I hope so.



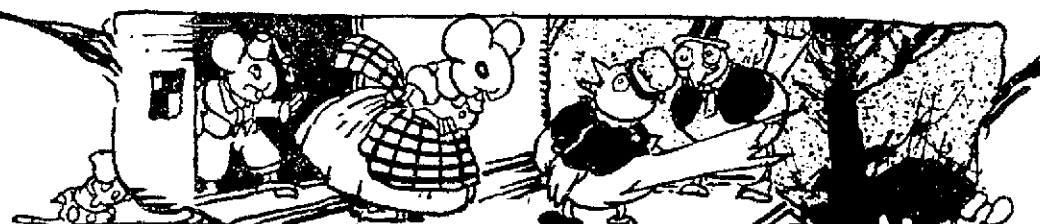
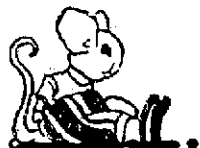
H, ONCE there were some mousey folk
Who had no place to stay;
Wherever they would settle some
One made them go away!

There was Mr. Mouse and Mrs. Mouse
And children four beside;
All homeless and disconsolate
They roam the country side.

They slept in little dugouts or
Beneath a bush or hedge,
So insecure that I am sure
Their nerves were all on edge!

Then all at once—upon my word!—
A model house they spy;
A model house for any mouse,
Although extremely high.

I don't mean 'twas expensive,
But high up in the air
The house they see is in a tree—
Yes, that's exactly where.



The Dontwanta-cant Bug

THE Dontwanta cant bug's a bad little wretch
And he travels and travels for miles on a stretch—
Biting all whom he meets and as fast as they're bitten
They're all with the dontwanta-cantishness smitten!

They can't do their lessons—they don't want to play—
And they sulk, pout and frown for the rest of the day.
When YOU feel dontwanta-cantish—you'll know
'Tis this bad little bug that is making you so.

And here is a magic to cure his sharp bite—
Just say it three times and then all will come right:
"I do want to do and I can if I try!"
And away in a trice this bad bug will fly.

The Watch Dog

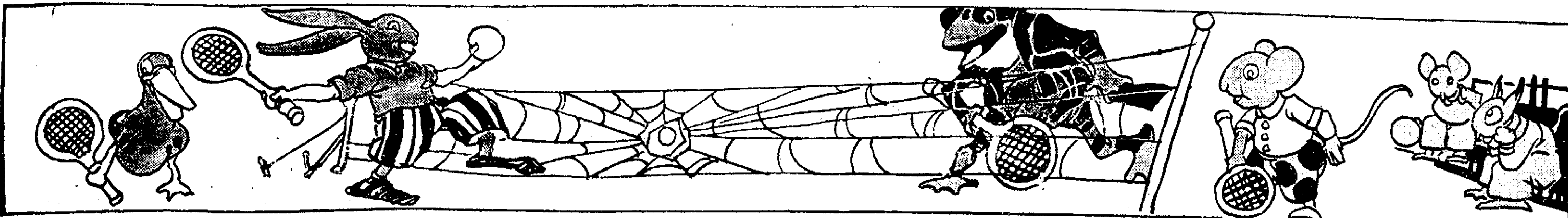
AHO—the other night as I lay thinking in my bed—
A terrier cavorted in—he didn't have a head
But balanced on the shoulders of this funny little Scotch
As sure as snails—have yellow tails—there ticked a shiny watch!

He was a WATCH DOG come he said to see that children keep
Good hours and to bite the heels of all who weren't asleep!
I shut my eyes immediately, but dears and ducks—watch out—
For after TEN my wordy then—the watchdog is about!

A Long Story

The monkey's tail is long,
And so is the elephant's nose;
But I know something longer
Than any or all of those.

Yes, the giraffe has a long, long neck
And the donkey has long, long ears;
But none have as long, long tongues
As the girls and boys, my dears!



With cobweb nets the meadow folks

Are playing at tennis, gayly;

And matches 'twixt mice and ducks and frogs

Are played off almost daily!

DOUGHBOY OR DEVIL DOG—WHO SAVED DAY FOR U. S. A.?

Hark to an Officer of the United States Marine Corps as He Spins a Yarn That Puts Credit Where Credit Is Due for What Happened a Year Ago in France

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NO, THE Marine Brigade, officially known as the Fourth Brigade of the Second Division, did not win the war or do other mythical things that well-meaning admirers of the corps have at times credited them with.

They did not take Cantigny in May, for we were then at rest behind the lines. Colonel Ely's doughboys of the veteran First Division took Cantigny.

We were not the first American troops to cross the Ourcq River, and as a matter of fact never saw the Ourcq.

The marines did not capture Vaux in the fighting of the Chateau Thierry sector. The Third Brigade of our division, the Ninth and Twenty-third Infantry, mopped up that town just before the division left the sector.

We did not enter Sedan last November, although a couple of us paid five francs each for a hot cognac in Sedan and were glad to get it at any

price last January, and an East Side waitress served it after we had tried soldier French on her.

I am mentioning Cantigny, Vaux, the Ourcq and Sedan simply because those places have been woven into the story of the marines in France. But the stories of the fighting and the illustrated supplements that ran the mail barrage and filtered through to us weeks after all those places were wrested from the Boche did credit us with their change of masters. I recall one



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illustrated supplement showing a half page picture of Boursches and another of Vaux taken from an airplane after their capture, and the caption of each was to the effect that the marines had captured them. Lieutenant Robertson, of the Ninth Company, Sixth Marines, with twenty odd men, took Boursches on June 6, but we never saw Vaux, which was on the extreme right of our division sector.

In Belleau Woods

There is no body of officers and men who more deeply regret that these feats were credited to the marine brigade than those of the marine brigade, but we were helpless in the matter, and no one regrets more that we were credited with them to the detriment of the splendid outfits that captured Cantigny, took Vaux and crossed the Ourcq. As a matter of fact we never knew of those injustices to other outfits until they had been chronicled and then sometimes weeks after the credit was wrongly placed.

The explanation, however, is simple. The army has often twitted us with the fact that we had a remarkably versatile and active press agent, sometimes in sorrow, sometimes in virtuous indignation, and at other times with good-natured raillery. We didn't pack a press agent around, and if we had had one it would have been a problem, with our limited transportation, to tax the best brain of the general staff how to give him and his typewriter a lift from place to place in our French travels.

The policy of G. H. Q. to avoid the mention of units or localities so that the Boche would be kept in the dark as much as possible as to the disposition of troops was unbroken until we attacked the enemy in the Belleau Woods on June 6 and after sanguinary fighting took Boursches and gained a foothold in those woods from which Boche counter-attacks could not dislodge us, and the dangerous salient in the Chateau Thierry sector last June had been effectively broken. There was only one man in France who could lift the censorship veil at that time and that, of course, was General Pershing. He did lift it because it was the psychological time to lift it. The news that the marine brigade had not only stopped the Boche but had also thrown him back two kilometers on a seven kilometer front, was

announced from G. H. Q. to the British and the French with the knowledge that the American troops were not only dependable, but capable of the same high standard of fighting that they had shown in three years of war. And when that censorship was lifted, even to the extent of mentioning platoon officers who had distinguished themselves in the marine brigade, the American newspaper correspondents naturally made the most of it. It would have been the same if any other brigade, be it one of regulars, like the First Brigade of the First Division, or a National Guard brigade of the Twenty-eighth Division, or a National Army

brigade of the Seventy-seventh Division had been rushed up to that dangerous place in the line, and had done the same.

When the first papers from Paris came up to us we were as much astounded as we were delighted, and for days they came with their black headlines acclaiming the work of the marines. We used to send them out to the fighting men, and more than once when I talked over our field phone to some battalion commander who was out there with his back to the wall, with every company officer in one of his pet companies whined out in the day's work, and no sign of relief for men who were literally dead on their feet and facing another terrible barrage or a counter-attack from the Kaiser's guard troops, I read him the headlines, to show that the people at home were following our fortunes day by day, and it buckled him up to carry on what seemed to be an impossible task.

Vaux and the Ourcq

Then, when the purpose of that dramatic lifting of the veil had served its purpose, and divisions that had just landed were wild to get up into the line and show the Boche that they were every bit as good as the marine brigade, the veil was lowered. But as a result, when a correspondent called home a guarded reference to the fact that a unit that had distinguished itself on the Chateau Thierry front had captured Vaux in masterly style, and was not able to say that it was the Third Brigade, Vaux went down to the credit of the marines. It was the same when the Ourcq was crossed by a division that had from the inception of its entry into the line distinguished itself, and there were other times when similar references were made to a unit. Then the name of the marines crept into the headlines and appeared under the pictures of towns that fell in the onward advance of American troops.

We had a fine brigade; we thought it was the best in France, and there was not a brigade over there that didn't think it was the best, and that's as it should be. But no marine worthy of the name did not, and does not, regret that other outfits, doing equally valiant service, suffering equally cruel losses, were robbed temporarily of their laurels, or that the necessity for a rigid censorship prevented at the time the knowledge of their deeds. And all the more credit is due those divisions that did not have the seasoning that the First, Second, Twenty-sixth and Forty-second Divisions had before they were thrown into a big offensive. The Thirty-sixth for instance, a Texan outfit, relieved ours in the Champagne early in October in the drive that forever freed Rheims of the Boche menace. The Second never fought under greater odds or over more difficult terrain, but they had been in the line for the best part of six months. The relief was a particularly delicate one, but the Thirty-sixth, absolutely untired in battle, pulled it off like veterans, and when the old cry of "Let's go!" went down the Texan line they let go with a vengeance and made one of the greatest advances of the war.

Loyalty and Optimism

From the First Division, the daddy of them all, down to the last division that went into the line, they were all so splendid that it takes a braver man than a medal of honor man, or a Victoria Cross man, or a Medaille Militaire man, to discriminate. And in the final analysis, the one that you heard at any point of the line or where the combat troops were in rest, the two big factors that made the American army invincible were the lads under the tin hats, fresh from the desk or the factory or the farm, and the platoon leaders, youngsters barely out of their teens, and civil life, and that's where the backbone of the American divisions reared itself.

And it was the same. I am sure, in the other divisions as it was in the Second. The marines swore by the

YOU can't start a scrap between a doughboy and a marine as to who bore the brunt of the fighting in France. Some folks have been doing their very best to stir up a controversy between the "teufel hunden" and the United States Infantry as to "who saved Paris," or "who turned the Hun at the Marne," or "who was first into Sedan," etc., etc. As a result some have been led to believe that "with the help of God and a few marines" the world was saved at its darkest hour. Still others hold the "doughboys" and the "leathernecks" were the whole show. As a matter of fact the stage of America is big enough to hold them all—God bless 'em!—and there are laurel

wreaths enough for all the heroes. As much as he loves "first to fight" the marine loves "fair play." Here is the proof—a story from one of the "teufel hunden's" officers who was through the thick of it, and who here shows how the scene-shifting censor was responsible for the circumstances that gave the marines the best of it a year ago, and not a zealous U. S. M. C. press agent. It not only clears up a lot of false impressions as to "who was who over there," but fairly gives credit where credit belongs, and, as such, is a worthy contribution to the history of America's participation in the world war.



doughboy brigade, and the doughboy brigade swore by the leatherneck brigade, and both brigades were serene in the belief that the artillery brigade was the finest lot of artillerymen that ever put down a barrage. I remember though, fairly early in the game, when another outfit was relieving us, that one of their doughboys took it for granted that, as in the old days, every artilleryman looked down on a doughboy just as every doughboy patronized an artilleryman. One of our artillery emplacements was lumbering by and naturally the unsuspecting doughboy rallied an artilleryman, coming along him over the fact that they had to send up a fresh outfit to relieve a sad lot of marines. That artilleryman was off the caisson in a flash and wiped out the insult to his division with a left-hander on the point of the chin.

And back of that loyalty, that optimistic belief that at any time an American soldier could like a dozen Boches, was the unquenchable humor that was a big factor in the onward sweep of the army. That sense of humor made light of all hardships and

glossed over the ache at the heart over the loss of an officer who had been a father and mother, or the more personal one when a man left his bundle behind under a simple cross fashioned from the wreck of a hard bread box with his name, unit and identification number punched into a rude disc of tin with a nail.

Losses of Seventy Per Cent

After our brigade pulled out of the Soissons show in the middle of July, with the battalion losses running as high as 70 per cent, we went into rest billets near Paris for a week. Then we had orders—we thought it might be the line or it might be a new billowing area. All we knew was that we were going somewhere near Toul. We were not far from Toul when we stopped at a village. A new division was in there. We knew it because they were still wearing the old campaign hat. Just ahead of the officers' car was our headquarters company, which had been thrown in the line as an infantry company at Soissons, and had been badly shot up. A doughboy in a campaign hat sung

out from the platform to a couple of marines who were seated on the floor of a "forty hommes-huit chevaux" side door Pullman:

"What outfit is that?"

"Sixth Marines."

A short silence and then, "Where are you from?"

"Down Soissons way," was the laconic answer. Another break in the verbal barrage and then, "Anything doing down there?"

"Sure," came the cheerful answer. "Killed a man there last week."

And again, when the corps commander addressed the battalions of the Second Division on November 10, to explain the object of the attack scheduled for the evening before the armistice, the losses were as heavy as at any time, and in none of our scraps, after we left the Verdun sector in May, did we escape with less than 50 per cent casualties. That night two companies of the Ninth Infantry and the Second Engineers immortalized themselves, and General Lejeune's fine order to the division began with this tribute to them: "Heroic men have done heroic deeds!" They laid bridges across the Meuse River undaunted by direct artillery and machine-gun fire that was simply murderous. The Fifth Marines, under Colonel Logan Feland, were the first to cross. The leading waves even threw away their rifles to cross the faster, and choked Boche

and day through barrages, mud and fog, and those battalions were fed up with bliking. The corps commander faced one battalion and told them in so many words: "Men of the Second Division, the enemy hold the heights across the Meuse. Tonight we will attack, cross the Meuse, storm the heights and take a railroad." It was sad news, but a buck private, when he caught the full import of the speech, said to his buddy in a stage whisper that has since rolled over most of the A. E. F., "Holy Smoke, Bill, we're going to take a railroad!"

Of course we got all that was coming to us in the Belleau Woods fighting and, as I have said, we got some credit that was not coming to us, and the marine brigade pulled off some shows

machine gunners on the other bank to death with their bare hands.

The fortunes of the marine brigade and the Second Engineers were so intertwined that as long as the marine corps lasts it will have a particularly soft spot for the engineers. They fought as few infantry outfits could fight. They never failed with the rifle or the pick and they were equally proficient with either. As for our artillery and the infantry brigade, the same applies. We used to wonder in the training sector if it would be safe to follow up

an American barrage. After Verdun and the real baptism of fire in Belleau Woods the men asked for nothing better than the support of the Twelfth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Field Artillery. While we had the work assigned of cleaning up those woods the Ninth and Twenty-third Infantry were assigned to the dogged task of holding their line without advancing, and they held it for weeks under heavy artillery punishment until they got their chance at Vaux. And throughout the campaign we fought side by side with them and were proud to have two such gallant regiments wearing the same divisional device. Our division battle cry was "What we have we hold." We were brothers-in-arms in the best sense of the word.

Marking back again to Chateau Thierry, not one officer or enlisted man in the marine brigade ever saw Chateau Thierry itself until after the armistice was signed. When the marines speak of Chateau Thierry remember that the maps we used at Belleau Woods were officially known as the Chateau Thierry maps. Chateau Thierry was printed in large black letters at the top of that map, for they covered that sector. The extreme right of our brigade, the nearest to the town of Chateau Thierry, was nine kilometers to the west of the town. Chateau Thierry is synonymous with the marine brigade. Yet we were never nearer than that. It is well to remember that there were two distinct operations in the Chateau Thierry sector. One began on June 1, when we took our position in support of the French, who fell back through our lines two days later. That operation ended with the capture of Vaux, two miles to the west of Chateau, by our infantry the first week in July. The second operation began July 18 as a part of the great counter-offensive launched by General Foch from Rheims to Soissons. We were not in that, for we were thrown into the line in front of Villers-Cotterets. I mention this because it has been stated that General Pershing's report on that operation never mentioned the marines. Naturally enough, for we were fighting with the French and the First Division several miles to the northwest on July 18 and 19.

Belleau Woods is a remarkable woods, entirely different from other patches of woods in that part of the country. The Boche picked an ideal base for his operations when the gray battalions filed in there early in June, to drop back shattered and broken. It is hook-shaped, about three kilometers across and two deep. It is scarred by ravines and as thick in places with trees, undergrowth and tripping vines as jungled country. All through it rear sharp rock ledges and the ledges and ravines gave the Boche a superlative fortress for machine-gun emplacements with field of fire in all directions.

Degoutte's Famous Order

I visited it last January and the wheat fields that were red with more than poppies last June have been harvested by the few thrifty French who have gone back to Lucy-le-Bois, Boursches and Torcy. On its flanks are neat graveyards filled with marines, and just beyond it those of the Yankee Division who left their dead behind when the July offensive was launched. But to the French it is no longer the Bois de Belleau. The order issued by General Degoutte changed all that on June 30, 1918, when it changed it to the Bois de la Brigade de Marine. Our press agent certainly was not at work then, for it was a week after the order was promulgated before the marine brigade received it.

Its true translation read as follows:

"Army H. Q., June 30, 1918.

"With Army Staff.

"6330-2

"Order

"In view of the brilliant conduct of the Fourth Brigade of the Second United States Division, which in a spirited fight took Boursches and the important stronghold of Belleau Woods, stubbornly defended by a large enemy force, the general commanding the Sixth Army orders that henceforth, in all official papers, the Bois de Belleau shall be named 'Bois de la Brigade de Marine.'

"DIVISION GENERAL DEGOUTTE, Commanding Sixth Army."

Naturally officers and men returning from France, full of pride in their outfits, are apt to sound the praises of their outfits. An absence of such pride would argue lack of esprit. We did our part in kicking the Boche at a critical time. We had the opportunity. But no marine ever wished that natural and pardonable pride to be construed as a boast that we saved France any more than did the other American units that stopped the gap at a critical time, or broke the German line.

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